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The P. C. Editor Says:

There is a double cross some where down the line as to cotton picking labor. The FSA here in Sikeston has given out information that cotton pickers are not needed in Southeast Missouri and Tuesday morning The Standard printed bills advertising for cotton pickers to operate on 5,000 acres. Last cotton picking season Mexican labor was brought in to pick cotton but had to be sent back to the Rio Grand Valley from whence they came because they were not wanted by local labor who were unfit or would not enter the fields in sufficient number to gather the cotton when it was ready. We don't like this sort of information put out from Sikeston when cotton pickers are badly needed.

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Should Mr. Willkie be elected President on November 5 and he should see proper after he is inaugurated to cut out the Agricultural Assistance and permit every farmer in every section of the United States to plant and grow every acre on his farm, prices would fall to the zero mark of the Hoover reign. If Roosevelt is re-elected conditions under which the farmer is now laboring would continue and he would receive fair prices for what he has to sell. That is the proposition, take it or leave it.

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Some complaints have come to the office from subscribers living in flats or apartments that others living there but do not subscribe for the Standard but who take the paper to their apartment, read it, then leave it where they found it, but wrinkled and rumpled up. This is displeasing to the subscriber and likewise unsatisfactory to The Standard management.

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Hon. Lawrence McDaniel, candidate for Governor of Missouri on the Democratic ticket, will speak in the Court House at Kennett at 2:00 p. m. Wednesday, October 23. He is a good speaker and will present the issues of the present campaign in a clear and convincing manner.

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Albert O. Allen, postmaster at New Madrid and former editor of the New Madrid Record, was a visitor in The Standard office Tuesday afternoon. He was on his way from Cape Girardeau where he had been a witness in Federal Court.

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Well, when the draft hits The Standard ofice it will take from our force Ed Edelin, reporter; R. W. Schwieter and Clyde Collie, linotype operators; Cletus Shell, pressman and printer, Bill Gardner, printer; and I. A. Myers, circulation manager. This will leave with us O. E. Lathom, ex-linotype operator and printer; C. L. Blanton, Sr., ex-linotype operator, printer and editor; C. L. Blanton, Jr., advertising solicitor and printer; C. M. Harris, advertising solicitor and printer; John Lathom, pressman and printer; Mrs. Lill Kendall, reporter and collector; Mrs. I. A. Myers, assistant circulation manager; and Miss Vernetta Smith, bookkeeper and front office manager.

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One of The Standard employees had a funny experience recently. A bum hit him on the street for the price to buy a drink. The bum was told that he was fixing to be asked for the price of a drink. The bum told him to wait right where he was and he would make the round of the block and try to bum the price of two drinks and would come back for him. He hasn't returned at this writing.

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On its editorial page last Friday the Globe-Democrat carried the following paragraph: "The New Deal is getting ready to torpedo the national defense program by encourging a wave of strikes and disputes which cannot but retard the production of war weapons needed immediately by Britian and the United States Army and Namy." This, of course, is a falsehood of the most shocking sort. The Globe-Democrat knew it was a falsehood. Every Globe-Democrat reader knew it was untrue. The next New Deal law should be one providing severe penalities for any publisher who deliberately and with malice aforethought publishes what he knows to be false, harmful and misleading. But law or no law, such abuses of its freedom brings upon the Millionaire Press its own punishment. It utterly destroys the influence our metropolitan newspapers otherwise would have. Only by telling the truth can the Press have power.—Paris Appeal.

September Work In New Madrid Extension Cited

A summary of New Madrid County Extension Activities as reported by the agents for September is given in the following paragraphs:

4-H CLUB WORK

Community 4-H Club with 47 memmbers, and four leaders supervising five projects was organized at LaForge on September 12. Two clubs with a total of 14 members, and Mrs. Ruby Blyze as leader were formed at Henderson Mound on September 10.

MATTRESS MAKING

This project which was brought to a close early in September resulted in the making of 1092 mattresses for white families and 497 for colored families. Mattress making for colored, under supervision of Mrs. L. J. Morrissey, is still in progress.

FOODS

A training school for Home Economics food leaders, attended by seventeen, was followed by eight meetings, held by these women in their respective communities.

RECREATION

The Canalou Home Economics Club entertained more than 100 guests including husbands, teachers, and friends, at its annual picnic on September 5, at Caverno's grove.

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION

Demonstrations on arranging kitchen equipment before 250 women, and on use of electricity in farm operations with 40 men present, were supervised by the local home demonstration agent and County Agent at the REA Show, at Applegate's farm, September 27.

SOIL IMPROVEMENT

Eight farmers had twenty three samples of soil tested during September for lime need. Most of the tests showed a lime requirement of 5000 to 7000 pounds per acre.

HOG DISEASE

Twenty-four men used 33,050 C. C. of anti-hog cholera serum, 1060 C. C. of virus, and 285 doses of swine plague serum during September, according to records in the extension office.

SEED IMPROVEMENT

Sixteen New Madrid County farmers, the largest delegation from any county, attended the Sikeston experiment field meeting on September 18, to inspect cotton variety, soybeans and hybrid corn experiments.

Twenty eight men were present at the hybrid corn demonstration meetings at Guy Calvin's and Ott Burnett's farms on October 1. Results of the tests on 48 hybrid varieties will be published later this fall.

Harold Sloas and B. B. Forrest on A. W. Hemberger's farm will demonstrate use of fertilizer (150 to 200 pound per acre) on wheat during the 1941 growing season.

Can't Help Effort To Restore Game Laws, Stark Says

Jefferson City, Oct. 14.—Gov. Lloyd C. Stark said today that investigation failed to reveal any legal authority by which he could stop the progress of the initiated proposal to restore the state game and fish laws.

The Missouri Taxpayers' Association had asked Stark to halt advertisement of the lengthy proposal sponsored by former State Senator A. L. McCawley of Carthage and which will be on the November 5 general election ballot.

Stark praised the conservation system operating under a constitutional amendment adopted in 1936, and added:

"I regret to see any attack made on it, directly or indirectly, but at the same time I fail to see any authority in this specific instance for any action by the governor."

He said conservation matters "should be kept out of politics."

McCawley's proposal is costing the state thousands of dollars to advertise it in every county.

D. A. R. Holds Jubilee Meeting

As this is the fiftieth anniversary of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, King's Highway Chapter celebrated its Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kate Harris with a Golden Jubilee party. Mrs. A. J. Renner gave a brief history of the founding and sketches of the founders of the Daughters of the American Resolution. She told about Miss Mary Desha, Miss Eugenia Washington, Mrs. Ellen Hardin Walworth, and Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood meeting in Washington, D. C., and deciding that the Society should be national in scope. Mrs. Caroline Scott Harrison, the wife of the President of the United States, was made the first President General.

During a short business session reports of Committees were given and plans for going to the regional meeting to be held in Jackson, Nov. 2, were discussed. The State meeting to be held the last of October in Springfield, Mo., was also discussed.

The meeting adjourned for a social hour during which the members and visitors discussed how they had spent their vacations. Mrs. Harold W. Russell and Mrs. W. W. Kingsbury were guests.

DRIVING FINE GROWING OUT OF COLLISION

Charged with careless and recklessness driving growing out of an automobile collision Saturday night north of the city, Archie Garner of Matthews was fined $50 and costs Wednesday morning in a hearing before Justice Brown Jewell.

Theatrical World Lured Dusty Roades To Dance Band Job

Dusty Roades, who is bringing has band here Saturday night for the Junior Chamber of Commerce Harvest Ball at the armory, came almost being a railroad man, but his employer booted him back into the theatrical world.

The orchestra was born at Miamisburg, Ohio. His father, Bill Roades, was a minstrel man who had gone out with Al G. Fields when the latter started from nearby Columbus.

His father had not wanted him to be in show business. He got him a job in a railroad office, but the lure of the theatrical world was too strong. Young Roades dabbled in minstrels and other entertainments at night and soon his boss thought he was paying more attention to entertainment than he was to his ledgers.

Roades left by request and got another job. It was the same routine. Too many amateur shows on the side. One night in Anderson, Ohio, he was helping with a show. The drummer failed to show up and Dusty was pressed into service. It was the first time he had fooled around with the trap and when he felt unable to negotiate a difficult passage he broke into song. This novelty of a singing drummer was a sensational success.

That experience determined Dusty to quit the business world and become an orchestra leader. He organized a small group which included "Red" Nichols. The band was called The Syncopated Five. Shortly after that he and the boys joined Paul Whiteman who had formed a band for the initial crossing of the S. S. Levithan.

When they returned, the steamship company asked Whiteman to form a unit for vaudeville and call it Paul Whiteman's Levithan Band. Roades, Nichols and the others toured with Whiteman for several months, then Roades returned to Columbus and organized one of his own. Ted Weems came along and liked the style and engaged the whole organization, including Roades. He was three years with Weems, then became ill and went home to recuperate.

Later he joined Ted Fio Rito's band and after was with Charlie Agnew. After five years he decided to go it on his own. He formed his orchestra in 1935 and played at locations such as the Muehlback Hotel in Kansas City, Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago, Jefferson Hotel in St. Louis, Schroeder Hotel in Milwaukee and the Plantation Club in Dallas.

For specialty numbers he has the beautiful songstress, Helen Nash; Emory Hammer, male vocalist; Johnnie Cassella, harmonica specialist, and those harmony blenders, The Four Dusters.

Dancing will be from 10 p. m. to 2 a. m. Table reservations may be obtained by calling Dr. W. M. Sidwell.

MISS VELMA PAYNE AND LEE PRICE MARRIED

Miss Velma Payne, daughter of Mrs. Lola Payne of Salcedo, and Lee Price, son of G. W. Price of Sikeston, were married Saturday night, October 12, by the Rev. J. T. Self at his home north of Sikeston. They were attended by the bride's brother-in-law sister, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Turley, also of Salcedo.

The couple will reside near Salcedo where Mr. Price is engaged in farming.

SONGBIRD

HELEN NASH

Helen Nash, pretty songstress, who provides part of the special entertainment that goes with Dusty Roades' orchestra. The band is playing for the Junior Chamber of Commerce Harvest Ball Saturday night at the armory.

Tom Mix Killed In Auto Wreck

Florence, Ariz., October 12.—Tom Mix, who starred as a horseman in the silent films and in circuses, was killed today when his automobile overturned on a detour 18 miles south of here.

Mix, traveling alone on his way to Phoenix, Ariz., was pinned under the machine on a detour skirting a road construction job. He was dead when two highway employes discovered the overturned car. The body was brought here.

As the colorful star of scores of silent Western thrillers, Mix was the idol of millions of young Americans. In recent years he has been the featured performer in circus-riding exhibitions.

Coroner E. O. Devine said Mix apparently was killed instantly. There will be no inquest.

Investigators here said they understood he was serving as an advance agent for a circus.

Mix was carrying $6000 in cash and also had several valuable diamonds on his person, police investigators said.

Mix was a native of El Paso County, Tex. He worked as a cowboy in Texas, Arizona, Wyoming and Montana and won national riding and roping contests at Prescott, Ariz., and Canon City, Colo., in 1909 and 1910.

During the years when he was identified with pictures Mix always was cast as a hard-riding, guntoting hero out to thwart unlawful acts in the days of the Wild West.

In recent years he has appeared in Wild West circus shows and for a time operated his own circus, the Tom Mix Wild West Show. He also made frequent vaudeville tours and in 1938 and 1939 made personal appearances in Europe.

1000 Ships Sunk Since War Started

New York, October 12. — One thousand merchant and naval ships aggregating 3,574,695 tons have been destroyed since the war began slightly more than 13 months ago, a survey by the Associated Press showed today.

The list of sinkings, which contains only verified reports of losses, shows that England lost 436 ships against 95 for Germany. Norway stood highest on the list of neutrals with a loss of 103 vessels.

Loss in lives stood at 7877 men, women and children and 6796 persons have been listed as missing and believed lost.

Madrid Extension Agents Announce Program for 1941

Extension activities for 1941, as approved by a county-wide committee made up of Farm Bureau executive committee members, representatives of the Home Economics Clubs, and 4-H clubs leadders have been announced by the extension agent of New Madrid County to include the following:

1. Increasing the farm cash income by (a) using seed of adapted varieties, (b) improving hog production through sanitation and better feeding methods, (c) improving the breeding and feeding of cattle, (d) controlling field and garden insects, (e) controlling weeds, especially Johnson grass, (f) maintaining and increasing soil fertility.

2. Reduction of cash expenses on the farm and in the home by—(a) living at home, better gardens, preserving foods, preparing foods, clothing construction, farm flock poultry enterprises, etc., (b) providing more storage space in homes and on the farm, (c) better housing, sanitation, and home beautification, (d) better diets, more use of milk, (e) attention to a health program.

3. Building a more satisfying farm and home life by (a) a more effective program for rural youth, including 4-H club work, (b) expansion of women's club enrollment, (c) providing better recreational and social advantages for farm people, (d) providing more comfortable farm homes.

4. Administration of the program by (a) developing a strong sponsoring organization, (b) a county council of Home Economics Extension Clubs, (c) monthly, quarterly and annual meetings of sponsoring organizations.

In 1939 and again this year extension work for the succeeding year was planned on the basis of problems and needs as determined from conditions existing within the county. In succeeding issues of county papers, the situation statement, approved by the county committee will be published.

Cotton Forecast in State Still Above Ten-Year Average

The indicated production of cotton in Missouri this year is 350,000 bales compared with the record 1939 crop of 437,000 bales and the 10-year (1929-38) average of 270,000 bales. The report released by the Federal-State Cooperative Crop Reporting Service pointed out that the indicated production on October 1 was less than one per cnet larger than the September 1 forecast.

While September weather was favorable for some improvement in prospects and for maturing the crop, it is still about two weeks later than average. The proportion of the crop ginned to October 1 was reported at 15 per cent. On the average, 27 per cent of the crop is ginned by that date.

The yield per acre of 428 pounds is three pounds above the September 1 forecast and is the third largest on record. Larger yields per acre were realized in 1938 and 1939.

The indicated total production in the principal cotton producing States was 12,741,000 bales compared with 11,817,000 bales produced in 1939 and the 10-year (1929-38) average of 13,547,000. The indicated production on October 1 was about one half of one per cent below the September 1 forecast.

W.B.A. to Observe 48th Anniversary

At the meeting of the W. B. A. in Odd Fellows' Hall Monday night, Oct. 21, the 48th anniversary of the organization will be observed. Mrs. Dee M. Belch, state field director, will be present for the occasion and Reviews at Marston, Lilbourn, Caruthersville, East Prairie, Chaffee and Morehouse have ben invited to attend the meeting. Tentative plans for degree work have been made.

One Baltimore meat packer has devised hot dogs with zipper: you pull a string, and off comes the frankfurter's jacket.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Observe 58th Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. James Calvert Davis quietly observed their 58th wedding anniversary Tuesday at their home at 203 Ruth Street.

Mr. Davis was born near Anna, Ill., Dec. 29, 1856, the son of Esther and Levi Davis, a Presbyterian minister. His grandfather, Edmund Davis, came to this country from Wales in the year 1800 and settled in North Carolina, where he lived to be 108 years old. Edmund Davis' wife, Anna, lived to be 102.

In 1882, Mr. Davis was married to Anna Winstead, who was born near Cobden, Ill., the daughter of Barbara and William Winstead, a school teacher-farmer. Her grandfather, George Black, was a slave owner, of Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis lived on a farm in Southern Illinois for many years and came to Sikeston in 1911. They have five children living: C. B. Davis, city editor of the Detroit Times; C. E. Davis, superintendent of K. B. Printing Co., Omaha; C. R. Davis, cabinet maker, Chicago; Mrs. J. J. West, Springfield, Ill., and Miss Madge Davis, Sikeston, and have reared a granddaughter, Miss Marjorie McCoy, of Sikeston.

There are 14 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

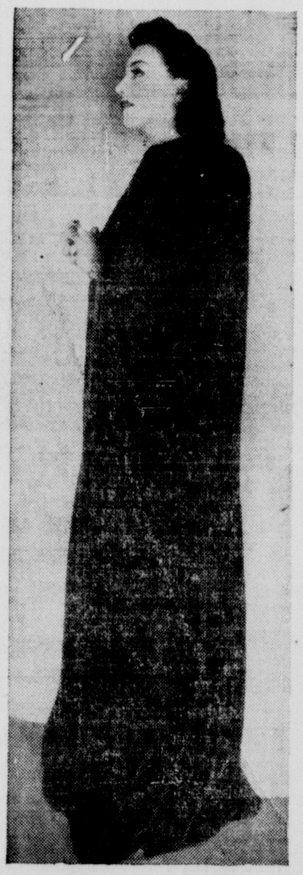
Sentenced on Narcotics Charge

Ennis Powell of Texarkana, Tex., was sentenced to two years in prison on Tuesday in Federal Court at Cape Girardeau on pleading guilty to stealing narcotic prescriptions from the Sikeston physician and forging them to make purchases at Cape Girardeau.

BOOK CLUB

The Book Club will meet at 3:30 Monday afternoon, Oct. 21, at the Library. Mrs. Jas. A. Mocabee will give a travel talk with pictures and piano duets will be played by Mrs. Kendall Sikes and Mrs. Thomas Legan. Mrs. John T. Sikes is president of the club.

★ BAZAAR PREVIEW ★



Joan Crawford, ever smart and lovely, leads the parade in mysterious feminine evening clothes in her graceful De Leo cape of Safari Alaska sealskin, for evening wear.

First Picture of the 1941 Pontiacs. A steady stream of 1941 model Pontiacs already is flowing down the production line as Pontiac Motor Division gets away to it searliest and heaviest production schedule. This month 11,700 of the new models will be produced and 24,500 in September, according to Harry J. Klingler, president and general manager of the division. Highway Pontiac Sales is local dealer.

★ FASHION PREVIEW ★

If these two lassies don't seem upset that vacation's over and school's in, maybe it's because of their new dresses . . . The girl on the left is wearing a gingham dress with pinafore ruffles; the one on the right a white cotton broadcloth blouse with suspender skirt.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

PATTERNS WITH YOUR CAMERA

Light and shadow here created an interesting shadow pattern, which repeats the design of the ironwork. Watch for such patterns—they yield fascinating pictures.

Everybody likes an interesting pattern—and there is an endless variety of patterns you can capture with your camera, if you watch for them.

Wherever light shines through something—such as an ornamental window, or railing—there may be a pattern of light and shadow. If shadows repeat the lines of some decorative ironwork, or the outline of a statue or fountain, opportunity exists for a picture. Observe such shadows—choose a position to show both the shadow and the object that creates it—and you'll usually get an interesting shot.

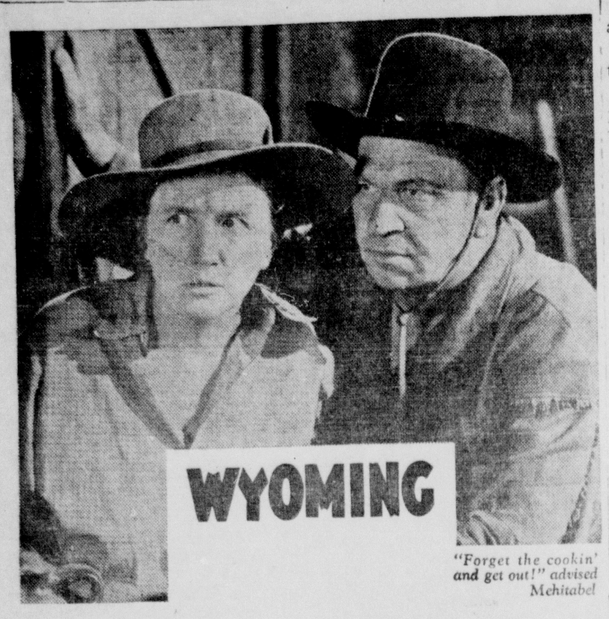
Whenever a number of similar objects are placed together, in a regular arrangement, you'll find patterns. A large tray of apples or oranges in front of the grocery store—stacks of crates or baskets at the market—piles of timber in a lumber yard—all these may yield good pattern effects that invite the attention of your camera.

Shoot a scene through an ornamental fence or window grille—and you have another type of pattern picture. The best type of grille is fairly open, so that it does not cut off too much of the scene. Expose for the distant parts of the view, and do not try to obtain detail in the grille—it is more effective if it appears as a dark outline.

In all these pattern pictures, use as small a lens opening as you can, so as to get a deeper zone of sharpness. If your lens will "stop down" to a very small opening—such a f/22—choose a high speed film for pattern shots and take advantage of the small lens opening.

Whenever you're outdoors on a sunny day, watch for pattern picture opportunities. Look for patterns indoors, too. Natural pattern effects occur everywhere—and pictures of them will lend variety to your collection.

John van Guilder.



"Forget the cookin' and get out!" advised Mehitabel

STORY SO FAR:

Reb Harkness, escaped train robber, takes over the protection of the orphan children of Dave Kincaid, Wyoming rancher who is slain by cattle rustlers working in the interests of John Buckley. Arrested after he has killed three of Buckley's men, Reb is taken to tell where he is soloced by Mehitabel, a two-gun woman blacksmith. General Custer investigates Buckley's activities, while his aide, Sergeant Connolly, makes love to Lucy Kincaid.

CHAPTER FOUR

When Buckley discovered that his friends in Laramie had been unable to keep General Custer from engaging a federal judge for Angel City, he summoned his two right-hand men, Curly and Dawson, and instructed them to get every head of stolen cattle across the state border. Then he added his further plans about Reb Harkness.

"If they found him dead in his cell," he whispered, "it wouldn't look good. However, if he tried to escape—"

"Why can't we just say he tried to escape?" asked Curly.

"Because I don't want any talk afterwards. And I don't want you to do the shooting. Get Pete and Mosey to do it. And tell the sheriff what he's got to do."

When Reb observed the sheriff bearing a tray of food, entering his cell and bending over carelessly as if he were inviting the prisoner to pick the gun from his holster, he drew back. There was something that didn't ring true about this, and he was wary.

"I'll pour your coffee for ya," said the sheriff amiably. He bent still further forward, till his gun was within two inches of Reb's outstretched hand.

Reb started to reach for it, then drew back again, trying to get a mental pattern of the whole business. The sheriff poured the coffee as languidly as he could, slowly straightened up and started for the door.

"You know, Reb," he said, "I hate to see you here. Sometimes I sorta wish you would escape."

Reb studied him silently. The sheriff dropped his eyes and made toward the door. Suddenly Reb's foot shot out, and the other man went sprawling on the floor.

"I oughta kill you!" growled Reb. "What kind of a trap is this?"

"They made me do it!" whimpered the sheriff. "It was my skin or yours!"

Reb crept to the door. "When I give the signal," he ordered, "I want you to yell. Loud and long."

Locking the door, Reb glided to the sheriff's office, and studied the outer street through the window; then he put on the sheriff's hat and sat in a chair against the wall, his face hidden.

"Start yelling!" he called.

The sheriff wasted no time. "Help! Help!" he screamed. "Help, somebody! Help!"

Mosey, waiting to fire a broadside at Reb when he took advantage of the chance to escape, was puzzled. Slowly he came across the street, looked inside the sheriff's office, and saw what looked like a familiar figure.

"What's goin' on, sheriff?" he asked.

Reb shot to his feet like a panther.

"Step inside, mister!" he replied, covering the other. "Put on these things!"

Putting his hat and jacket on Mosey, Reb whirled him around.

"We'll soon see if anybody else is waiting to take a shot at me!" he snorted. "Get out there!"

Shoved out into the street, Mosey ran for his life. But Buckley, seeing the speeding form and taking it to be Reb, didn't wait to investigate. He aimed quickly and sent a bullet that crumpled Mosey in the street. In a moment a crowd started to gather.

Reb, taking advantage of the excitement, slipped out. Along he hurried, till he reached the dimly lighted window of the blacksmith's shop. Mehitabel, who had kept a horse saddled for days in the event he made a break, was waiting. Looking at her admiringly, Reb swung up on the mount.

"Somehow it don't seem right to be in such a hurry to leave a spot where there's such powerful good cookin'," he said.

"Forget the cookin' and get out," advised Mehitabel. "If Buckley don't get you, the army will!"

"When I come back from California, I'm going stop in and say thanks," were Reb's parting words.

He got out none too soon, for Curly approaching down the street saw him dashing past on his horse. He turned and tried several futile shots, then wheeled in the direction of the blacksmith's shop, followed by the sheriff.

"Did you give him that horse?" he demanded furiously of Mehitabel and Lafe.

"He held a gun on us," said Mehitabel.

"You're lying!"

"Maybe I am, but no varmint like you can tell me so! Now get out of here!"

Curly's answer was to push her roughly across the room. Lafe, his eyes flashing, drew a white hot poker from the forge. Curly cursed under his breath, then drew his gun and shot point-blank. Lafe sagged to the floor, mortally hurt.

Jimmy Kincaid, playing Indian and wearing a band of turkey feathers around his head, gave a squeal of delight as he saw his Uncle Reb drive up the roadway.

"I knew they couldn't keep you in jail," he cried. Reb's reply was to pick him up and give him an affectionate hug. Inside the stable, he began to change saddles, as Jimmy's face clouded.

"You ain't going away again?" the boy asked.

"Yep," said Reb. "Just stopped by to change horses."

"When will you be back?" pleaded Jimmy.

"Jes' as soon as I can manage it," said Reb. Seein tears in the youngster's eyes, he bent over. "Now see here," he commanded, "you wouldn't want them soldiers to put me back in jail, would you?"

Jimmy was fighting to control himself, as a sound of footsteps came from outside. Reb looked out to see Bronson and three other ranchers.

"You boys look kinda tuckered," he said, stepping out.

They stared at him in surprise. "Buckley's gang is taking every head of cattle in the valley," said Bronson. "We've been up all night trying to get the rest of the boys to do something about it."

"There's only one language for Buckley," said Reb. "That's lead."

"We know, Harkness," answered Bronson, "but I guess it's too late."

"Well, I can't stay here and fight the whole Seventh Cavalry, besides Buckley," said Reb. Swinging up on his saddle, he was about to start off when a spring wagon came into sight, down the drive. Mehitabel, looking drawn and haggard, was inside.

"They killed Lafe," she told Reb when she came within earshot.

Reb, clenching his hands as he waved to Lucy to help Mehitabel, turned around.

"Are you felows really serious about wantin' to fight Buckley?" he demanded.

They all nodded mutely.

"Then get on your horses!" ordered Reb. "Doggoned if I ain't startin' to get mad!"

Down in the deep sweep of the valley, the ranchers, who now numbered about fifteen, caught sight of more than a thousand cattle. They were tended by a dozen of Buckley's men.

"That's the herd," said Bronson.

★ FASHION PREVIEW ★

For frolicking around the campus, select this attractive two-piece green cotton- velveteen dress. The kind of a dress that will last for years and remain in style.

"Everyone of us will find our brand in it."

"We can't cut that herd without expectin' a real fight," said Reb.

"You lead the way," responded Bronson. "It took a lot to get us goin'—but it's goin' to take a lot more to stop us."

When Dawson, head man of the Buckley clique guarding the stolen cattle, saw the avancing men, he rode forward.

"Looks like you boys are prayin' for disaster," he sneered.

"We goin' to cut the stock that belongs to us," said Pa McKinley.

"Every head of cattle in this valley belongs to Mr. Buckley," retorted Dawson. "Any man that says otherwise is a liar."

"I say so, mister," answered Reb quitely.

Dawson wheeled, scowling. "You should have reached for your gun when you said that," he rejoined.

"There'll be plenty of time after you go for yours," said Reb.

Dawson's face darkened. His hand slipped quickly to his holster, but before he could extract his gun, Reb had drawn his own firing-piece. A bullet spat out, and Dawson fell to the ground.

Reb turned to the others. "Take him with you and give him to Mr. Buckley," he advised. "Tell him it's a present from Reb Harkness and the ranchers of the Sweetwater Valley. You can tell him too that if he wants to fight, we're waitin' for him."

(To be continued)

State to Check on Woodcock Bagged

Jefferson City, Oct. 16.—In behalf of federal agencies which are interested in the present status of the woodcock the Missouri Conservation Commission is asking Missouri duck and quail hunters to report the taking of any woodcock during the coming season. The season is open from November 10 to November 24.

Although its numbers are dwindling, the woodcock is still found to some extent in Missouri. Hunters who frequent low, heavily vegetated areas near streams or lakes should be on the lookout, for that is where they are found.

But unless the hunter is unusually alert, they are not often bagged. In autumn the hunter may flush one or two of these birds singly from some damp patch of bottom land in a wooded ravine. When he does, the bird rises suddenly and swiftly on shrill, whistling wings. It springs up almost vertically to a height greater than the undergrowth, and then darts away and is lost to view in the woods. Often before the hunter can get his gun to his shoulder.

Ruthless shooting of woodcocks during migration and in its winter quarters in days before it was protected have reduced its numbers to a fraction of what they once were.

The woodcock now receives not only federal but state protection in order that it may recuperate and perhaps regain its former abundance. Not only does the Missouri Conservation Commission protect the woodcock, but it is hoped that the Commission's state-wide cooperative pond building program will help bring it back to the extent where it will again become an important game bird in Missouri.

Hunters who bag woodcocks during the season are asked to inform the Commission by postcard, telling when and where the bird was taken, and whether they appear to be more abundant this year than in previous years.

3 Lead in North 2 in South Loop

After the dust had settled from the conference games in the Southeast Missouri loop the past week, a survey of the results shows:

Sikeston, Poplar Bluff and Charleston all tied for first in the North Division without a defeat.

Dexter and East Prairie, also undefeated in the circuit, with an equal foothold on the South End top notch, and Chaffee in undisputed third place.

Poplar Bluff's one-sided victory over Jackson gave the Mules two conference decisions. All other leaders have engaged in just one battle toward the circuit title.

Conference standings are:

NORTH DIVISION

	W.	L.	Pct.	Opp.
Poplar Bluff	2	0	45	20
Sikeston	1	0	14	0
Charleston	1	0	25	0
Perryville	0	1	6	32
Jackson	0	2	14	52

SOUTH DIVISION

	W.	L.	Pct.	Opp.
Dexter	1	0	19	13
East Prairie	1	0	19	0
Chaffee	1	1	32	19
Kennett	0	2	0	38

AVOID USE OF MANY BUILDING MATERIALS

The use of several different materials, especially those which contrast in color and texture, breaks up the exterior of the home into a series of small units or segments, declares an FHA pamphlet.

The height of the ancient Colossus of Rome is placed at 70 cubits, or 105 feet, by Pliny and Strabo. Later writers estimated it at about 80 cubits.

Association Seeks $5000 for Negro Training School

The Southeast Missouri Educational Improvement Association has set a goal of $5000 to finance the erection of a training school for negroes, it was announced by S. D. Woods, chairman, and Almeda Jones, secretary, of the county organization.

The association, which has conducted a survey among colored people of Southeast Missouri, finds a negro population of approximately 75,000, of which 65,000 depend absolutely on farming for a living.

A school, with a demonstration farm, where boys and girls and their parents can learn the best improved practices of farming and also learn trades, is the goal of the association. Members hope to be able to take to the school their problems of gardening, crop rotation, diversification, soil conservation, livestock, swine, poultry, disease and pest control, home improvement, and to hold their conferences on a live-at-home program.

The association has members in eight counties of Southeast Missouri.

DEXTER TO PLAY HERE TONIGHT

Two undefeated Southeast Missouri football teams will become embroiled on the Sikeston gridiron this Thursday evening when the Dexter Bearcats meet the Bulldogs.

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The game begins at 7:30 p. m. It is dedicated to Knute Rockne, famed Notre Dame coach.

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5.50-16	7.75*	5.25, 5.50-18	6.98*	5.25, 5.50-17	5.85*
5.50-17	8.50*	5.25, 5.50-19	8.63*	5.25, 5.50-18	5.62*
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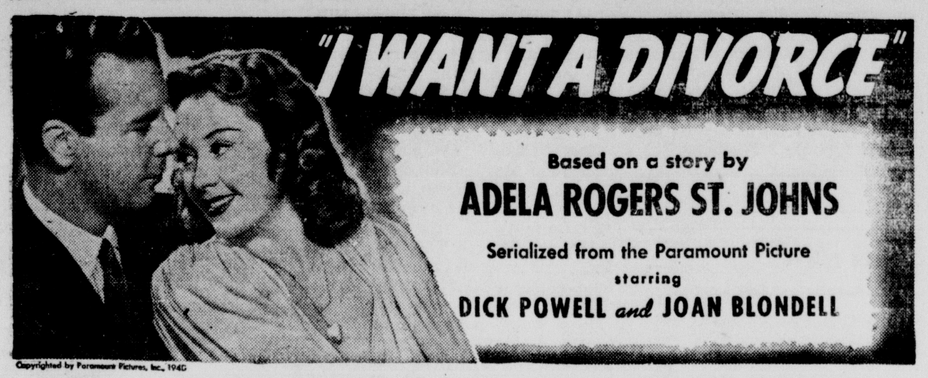

CHAPTER FIVE SYNOPSIS

Allan MacNally, young attorney, marries Jerry Brokaw. Everything is fine until Allan becomes dissatisfied with his position in a reputable law firm. Erskine Brandon, flashy divorce lawyer, offers him a job as his assistant. Jerry, still hurt by her sister Wanda's senseless divorce handled by Brandon, warns him not to accept.

CHAPTER VI

Wanda had come to stay with them for a couple of days. She had just returned from New York, and was getting her apartment ready. Little David was coming back to her and, seemingly, she could think of nothing else. Jerry and Allan were delighted to have her, even though it did inconvenience them, and Allan had acquired a chronic stiff neck, from sleeping on the living room couch.

Jerry was fixing his breakfast, and Allan could tell the way she went about it that she had something more than eggs and coffee on her mind. As she sat down opposite him, she smiled broadly and held out both her hands clenched tightly.

"Guess which and it's yours," she told him, indicating her fists.

"I'll take the right," Allan said unenthusiastically.

"You win," she said, tossing a thick wad of bills beside his plate.

"M o n e y," Allan shouted. "Somebody die?" he asked.

"Wanda gave it to me. Two hundred dollars, isn't that marvelous?" Jerry said ecstatically. "She thought it would help out."

"I guess she took one look around and figured I wasn't supporting you in the luxury to which you'd been accustomed," he exploded. "Well, you can give it back to her, see! And you can tell her when I want charity I'll go on relief."

"Wanda didn't mean it that way at all," Jerry explained, hurt. "I guess she imagined . . . "

"I don't care what she imagined," he interrupted. "That's part of Wanda's alimony. Maybe you can reconcile yourself to living off David Holland but I—"

Allan stopped dead as Wanda walked into the room.

"Oh hello," he said sheeplishly.

Allan tossed his napkin on the table, slid back his chair, kissed Jerry perfunctorily and strode out.

"It's no use," Jerry said hopelessly to her sister. "Thanks just the same."

"Don't be silly," Wanda advised. "Mac is acting like a child."

"No, I can't take it, Wanda," Jerry anounced. "It would hurt his pride. If something doesn't happen soon, though, my pride is going for a tumble. I'm going to have to ease up on that promise I extracted, and let him go to work for Brandon, or it's over the hills to the poor house for us."

They were interrupted by the doorbell. Jerry went and with a yelp of delight found David Holland and young David. She called Wanda, and realizing that it was going to be a rather awkward situation for them, quickly went to the kitchen and straightened up the breakfast things.

Jerry heard the door slam and David's car drive away almost immediately after she left. Then she heard vaguely, as she went on with her work, Wanda and young Davey deep in conversation. Soon Wanda came into the bedroom, and as she packed up her things, Jerry noticed she was crying quietly.

"Are those tears of joy, madam?" she asked. "Or what goes on?"

"Oh Jerry, he's not mine any more," Wanda told her. "He's grown away from me and I don't know him."

"Why that's sheer nonsense, darling," Jerry told her. "Pull yourself together. You know how children are and how their interests switch. I'll bet that in a week he'll have practically forgotten his father—but it won't mean that he doesn't love him."

"You're wrong, Jerry," Wanda repeated firmly. "This is different. David was always closer to him than I was, anyway. And now it's just as though I didn't exist. Besides, David has fallen in love again, and little David seems to be equally smitten," Wanda concluded in another burst of tears.

"It seems that little David almost drowned at the lake, and this girl—Aunt Helen, he calls her—saved his life," she continued. "Now Davey can talk of no one else, and big David feels the same way."

of the first people they had told of their engagement. Jeff had followed their doings with interest, and after the wedding he had made a habit of dropping by every Friday with a catch of fish, and through their talks, he and Jerry had become fast friends.

But today Jerry found him rather down in the mouth. He had practically nothing to say and was far from his usual self.

"I talked to Mac this morning," he offered.

"Really, how did that happen?" Jerry wanted to know.

"I just felt like talking to him," Jeff answered. "I thought you two might like to go out for dinner as a change, and I asked him about it."

"What did he say," Jerry asked.

"He said to leave it up to you," Jeff answered. "So how about it?"

Jerry hesitated. She didn't want to hurt Jeff's feelings but she knew that she and Allan couldn't possibly afford dinner out. As though he had read her thoughts Jeff went on.

"I want to celebrate. I've made some extra money this week taking a party fishing off Catalina, and you two kids have always been so swell to me I feel like I want to give you a treat. Be a sport and say you'll go," he pleaded.

Jerry agreed and Jeff was delighted. They arranged to meet, all three of them, at a small Hungarian restaurant where they had taken Jeff to tell him they were engaged. Jerry was the last to arrive, and when she spotted Allan, she saw him and Jeff bent over the table in earnest conversation. As she came to the table they stopped dead. She knew they were up to something, and determined to pry it out of them. After many false starts and attempts on their part to duck the issue, they finally agreed simultaneously.

"My wife wants to divorce me," Jeff said.

"But she also wants his bank account, his boat, and his bridgework," Mac explained. "So Jeff has to fight her."

"And on account of me bein' in a tough spot and his nibs here bein' my best friend and a good lawyer, I want him to do the fightin'," Jeff said with a relieved sigh.

"I see," said Jerry as she pushed back her chair to leave. They grabbed her and sat her down. All through dinner, course after course, they argued. Mac and Jeff insisting that this was different, it was for a friend, and that Jeff's wife was just out to take him for all she could.

Finally, although she knew it was a mistake, Jerry weakened. She could listen to no more.

"All right," she said emphatically. "But, Allan MacNally, I want you to realize this is an exception. It's just this once, because Jeff is our friend."

(To be continued)

"What did he say?" Jerry asked.

"You just forget it," Jerry insisted. "You're imagining a lot of things because you don't think your son was enthusiastic enough when he saw you."

As Jerry helped Wanda gather up her things, her mind was busy turning over the facts Wanda had set before her. So that was the way the land lay, she mused. More certain than ever that Wanda had come to her senses and that the divorce had all been a mistake, Jerry determined to help Wanda face that fact, and do something about remedying it.

"Now don't worry," she scolded Wanda as she took them to the door. "This will all turn out right, I'm sure." And to Davey, "Take good care of your mother, and make her happy, or I'll be very disappointed."

Much as she loved Wanda, Jerry was glad to have the house to herself again. The quarters had been close and the going had been tough, particularly on Mac. So, though her budget looked bleaker than ever, Jerry determined to have a little celebration in honor of their return to normal living.

When Jeff Gilman arrived late in the afternoon, Jerry had just about completed her plans for the party dinner. She and Allan had seen a lot of the shrewdly wise man they had met on the wharf months back, who had told them in so many words that they were made for each other. They had returned to the spot several times on hot nights, and never failed to run into him. And he had been one

Missouri Boy Champ Arrives for Final Meet

Here's James W. Colmey, of Webster Grove, Missouri's state champion boy automobile driver. He's shown as he arrived at the Ford Motor pavilion at the New York World's Fair, ready to compete in the finals to determine the national boy driving champion. Colmey's expenses, and those of an adult sponsor chosen by himself, were paid by the Ford Good Driver's League. At the first annual Champions' Banquet at the Ford pavilion on Aug. 29, Edsel Ford, president of the League, was scheduled to award the prizes—48 univiersity scholarships with an aggregate value of $30,000. The object of the League is to promote safety on the highways by teaching exery boy in America to drive expertly. It has a membership of scores of thousands of boys in all parts of the country.

Clara (visiting round-house)—What is that enormous thing?

Foreman—That is a locomotive boiler.

Clara—And why do you boil locomotives?

Foreman—To make the engine tender.

Expressions From Without

The Negro Democrat Club
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Located at Johnson's Cafe Sunset Addition is open for information, Literature, and membership cards. We will be glad for all membership cards are free.

We have in Southeast Misosuri approximately 75000 negroes, of which 60 per cent of that amount will vote for the New Deal according to information given from their leaders.

For the past seventy-five years the Republican Party has been the power of our National Government, fifty or sixty years of this time by being in control of our National Government. This means a majority in both houses of Congress, enabling this party to enact legislation and pass laws to benefit the underpriviledged class of citizens, of which we are in the majority.

These important duties are expected of any party from its supporters irrespective of politics. We as colored people were naturally adherents of the Republican party because of its standard bearer, Abraham Lincoln, and the principles he stood for. But from past evidence this party is under the impression that because of this noble leader's gallant fight, we as a race should not expect any more.

I think the G. O. P. should forget the issues of seventy-five years ago and awake to the fact that this is the era of a new negro, a negro who has been endowed with the teaching that a man is a man.

In preparing this address we show no favoritism to either party though we can say without a word of contradiction that the Democratic party has taken no advantage of the race and its potentialities as a voting group. But I do say that it has outstripped the opposite party in showing appreciation for the support so far received.

Today we are confident that our representation in proportion to our electorate has been more readily met in the last eight years than it has been in the past seventy-five years by the opposite party.

It is my contention that the Democratic party in order to continue to hold gains already made and to entice other race voters to its banner must recognize the race as a power and deal with it accordingly. Negro leaders in the Republican party are trying to frighten negroes back into that party by emphasizing discrimination and prejudice which is racial and not political. They are charging the Democratic party with crimes which can be confined neither to Democrats nor to Republicans. I like to say to one and all that we must support men regardless of their station in life who have the courage to defend the rights of the people and the wisdom to help guide our political ship to success.

By Rev. J. M. Jones,
President.
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In spite of all the safety activities throughout the country, in spite of excellent engineering and well-trained traffic police, and in spite of all the educational work that is being done in our schools, we cannot have safe highways without good courts.

All of the safety work that is being done, such as erecting warning signs, carefully issuing licenses, building smooth road surfaces, and passing speed laws, is ineffective if willful violators know they can "get anway with it."

Good laws become useless when the courts fail to back them.

There is a tendency in every community to have some influential people with the police department or the courts try to "fit" tickets. This nullifies all the good work the police are doing, and breaks down the morale in the department. The justice of the peace, or even the judge in the court room, instead of helping a community and protecting its citizens, is doing just the opposite.

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I clearly remember the Europe of the Summers from 1934 to 1939, and how, when I returned to America worried about the new forces in Europe that were teaching intolerance and were openly threatening all democratic governments, Franklin Roosevelt was among the few who had vision enough to read the future, to try to prepare, and was defeated in his foresighted international policy by reactionary Democrats and short-sighted Republicans like Senator Borah, who knew that "Europe would not go to war."

I believe that the American way of life demands a high wage scale because American industry cannot sell its products to a pauperized working class, and the present administration has recognized that labor's bargaining power must have legal recognition and support.

I vividly remember the Chicago's Boys' Court in 1932 and 1933, how direct the connection was between poverty and crime and what tremendous improvements came with the CCC camps, the WPA and other agencies that aided the social and economic condition of these boys and their parents.

As a lawyer, I remember our Supreme Court of the 1920s and the early '30s and how it refused to recognize that the purpose of the Constitution was stated to be to "promote the general welfare." That Supreme Court has been succeeded by men of social vision, who recognize that the Constitution is a dynamic document and must be interpreted to fit the changing social needs of the people, and most of these interpreters were chosen by Franklin D. Roosevelt.

I also remember former attorney generals who didn't know that the Constittuion guaranteed the civil liberties of the individual, while those guarantees have today a real meaning under the successive terms of Frank Murphy and Robert Jackson.

Improved methods of communication and transportation have made a new world. Social and economic thinking must be done along national and international lines. "Laissez-faire" in industry is gone for good. The farmer, the business man and the working man are less than ever masters of their own fate. The economic forces of modern life are too complex.

The purpose of government is to promote security. That means more than public defense. The administration that guaranteed bank deposits, enacted social security legislation, saved millions of middle-class home-owners, helped the building of new homes, fed the hungry, prevented the complete, restored the purchasing power of the farmer and halted a national economic debacle should not be exchanged for a party without a program. Abstract opposition to a "third term" is meaningless when the general welfare of the American people is the issue.

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MORLEY NEWS

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY DINNER GIVEN MRS. LESLIE

Friends of Mrs. Lutie P. Leslie gathered in the basement of the Baptist Church to celebrate her 80th birth anniversary with a dinner Monday. Out-of-town friends were Mrs. H. F. Kirkpatrick of Benton, Mrs. Smith Edminston and Mrs. Fred Black of Vanduser and Mrs. Joe Leslie of Sikeston.

WOMEN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MEETS

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Gene Daugherty. Mrs. Phoebe Black was leader of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stowe and children of Matthews visited at the W. M. Foster home Wednesday.

Mrs. Harris Foster and son, Bob, of Cape Girardeau visited Mrs. J. R. Lee Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Cassidy and son of Crowder visited Mrs. Henrietta Daugherty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hickson and children visited at Peach Orchard, Ark., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gilliland and children have moved to Oran.

Mrs. Hal May and daughter, Joy, who had been visiting in St. Louis returned home last week.

The Morley softball team defeated the Blodgett softball team Friday, 4 to 2.

Mrs. H. M. Gately and daughter, Kathleen, and Mrs. Wayne Gately of Oran visited Mrs. Paul Foster Wednesday.

Miss Ruby Hitt of Charleston visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hitt Sunday.

Elmer Montgomery of Sikeston was in town Monday.

William Lemley of Farmington visited friends here Tuesday.

Harry Tomlinson of Cape Girardeau visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith Sunday.

Mrs. U. G. Ragains and daughters, Misses Wilma and Lula Ruth, and Miss Margaret Thacker spent the week end in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Murphy of Cape Girardeau visited Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Murphy Sunday.

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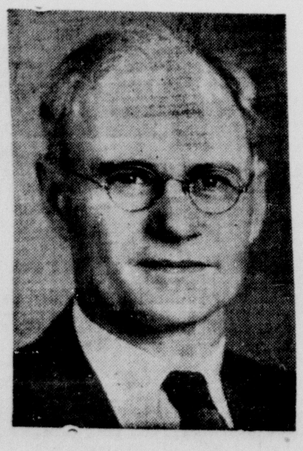

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Real Estate Transfers

SCOTT COUNTY, H. F. Kirkpatrick, Recorder.

Maude E. Sutton and J. Z. Sutton to LaRue E. Gasche, Lot 8, Block 8, Parkland Add., Sikeston, $1.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Matthews to City of Sikeston, Lots 2 and 3, Out Block 39, Sikeston, $1.

Mr. and Mrs. August Lux to Blanche L. Blattel, SE¼-NE¼, 17-29-14, except strip off north side for private road, containing one-half acre approximately, and strip off south side for private road, containing .606 acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Menz, Oran, to Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Dalton of Cape Girardeau, Lots 13 and 14, Block 6, Oran, $350.

Rev. H. K. Sutter of Springfield is holding a two weeks revival at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beardslee of Rector, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dixon of Fredericktown and Kenneth Stallings of Sikeston were dinner guests of Mrs. Ella Stallings Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leslie and daughter, Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leslie, Jr., of Fredericktown, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leslie and Leroy Leslie of Sikeston and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leslie and son of St. Louis visited Mrs. Lutie Leslie Sunday.

BERTRAND NEWS

MISSISSIPPI METHODIST UNION MEETS

The Mississippi County Union of Methodist Young People held the October monthly meeting on Tuesday night at the Bertrand Methodist Church. Miss Jane Thompson led the program, which had the subject "Harvest-Time." A business meeting followed the worship service. The November meeting was announced to be held at Dogwood. Games were played in the basement, which was decorated with cornstalks and Halloween paper. A skeleton was the reception committee, and popcorn balls and apples were served to 79 guests.

Mrs. Clarence Patrick and Anita Bebout made a business trip to Sikeston Tueday afternoon.

The draft registration was held in Bertrand at the School House from 6:30 a. m. to 9:30 p. m. Wednesday. Clyde Hart was in charge of the registrars. The school building was vacant because of school dismissal for the teachers meeting in Cape Girardeau.

Joella Patrick and Leon Schwab were in Kennett Tuesday afternoon to hear the Navy Band.

Mrs. Alice Tabor enjoyed a fish fry Sunday with friends at Ted Bennett's.

Mrs. Jim Webb has been ill for several days.

Virginia Russell was the Wednesday night guest of Juanita Bandy, Charleston.

Mrs. Ola Thompson shopped in Charleston Tuesday afternoon.

George Fenimore, who has been suffering from heart attacks, is reported improving.

Miss Lula Burnett was a visitor in Charleston Monday night.

Clarence Patrick and Albert Volker were business visitors in Charleston Monday afternoon.

Aline Van Pool was the Sunday dinner guest of Jerry Cunningham.

Rev. J. J. Willis, Methodist minister, was returned to the Bertrand-Blodgett circuit for the year 1940-41 at the Jefferson City state Methodist Ministers Conference.

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ORAN NEWS

FAREWELL PARTY FOR JENNINGS FAMILY

A farewell party and supper was given Friday night in the basement of the Baptist Church in honor of the Jennings family, who are moving this week to Illmo, where they have purchased a home. Over fifty guests were present and enjoyed a most excellent supper. The W. M. U. and other friends presented them with a beautiful electric floor lamp. The Jennings family will be greatly missed as they were active members of the Baptist Church. Miss Hazel Jennings is teaching this year at Randles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller and Mrs. Geo. Stehr were in Cape Girardeau Saturday night.

Mrs. Frank Girsie and Mrs. Joe Rumhann of St. Louis spent several days recently with their aunt, Mrs. Hess. A nephew, Sylvester Rupp, also of St. Louis spent Sunday with Mrs. Hess.

Miss Wilma McCray, who has been visiting her sister in Osceola, Ark., came home Monday of last week bringing her small nephew. On Tuesday, Mrs. Bessie Davenport came up from Osceola and took the little fellow home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Lois Benson came over last week from her home in Noble, Ill., for a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Howard.

Mrs. Clemson, Mrs. Jennings, Mrs. Thelma Maddox, Mrs. Chas. Carter and Mrs. Henson were in Sikeston on Tuesday of last week attending a district meeting of the W. M. U.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse James and family of Jackson were among those who atetnded the farewell party and supper in honor of the Jennings family here Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earlie Carter came up from Deering Sunday on business and to take their daughters, who have been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Day, home.

Mrs. Gladys Sikes and children were up from Sikeston Sunday afternoon.

Asa Ventres of near Marble Hill was here Monday.

Mrs. Bass, who has been visiting in St. Louis the past three weeks, came home Thursday.

Earl McCallister spent last week in St. Louis on business.

Mrs. Claude O'Connor and daughters Mary Lou and Miss Camilles of Sikeston spent the week end with the former's mother, Mrs. Cora Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Crader and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crader drove to St. Louis Saturday returning Sunday.

In a letter last week received by Mrs. Lou Metz from her daughter, Mrs. Lucille Schoffer of Flint, Michigan she stated that Howard Hall had passed away at his home in Davidson, Mich. The Hall family resided here a number of years and Howard was the youngest child. One son, Ed, was a carpenter and a daughter, Miss Emma, was employed in the Heisserer store.

Mrs. Nora Crafton, who has been seriously ill is somewhat improved.

FIDELIS CLASS TO MEET UNDER NEW OFFICERS

A meeting of the new officers of the Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church, elected and installed at a recent meeting, will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. Archie Hayden, Thursday evening, October 25, at 7:30 o'clock. Other officers elected are Mrs. David Elrod, first vice-president; Mrs. Rex Martin, second vice-president; Mrs. Fred Farris, third vice-president; Mrs. John A. Moll, fourth vice-president; Mrs. A. M. Jackson, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. P. H. Stevenson, teacher; Mrs. R. W. Schwieter, assistant teacher.

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For

Secretary of State

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Delta CCC Camp Notes

CAMP SETS OPEN HOUSE DATE

Open House Day at the Delta Camp has been tenatively set at Sunday, October 27. As in the past, the public is cordially invited to attend this Open House. A program for the day is being arranged and will be published in the local newspapers at a later date.

DEMONSTRATION PROJECT COMPLETED BY CAMP

The CCC Camp at Delta has just completed a demonstration project on Ditch No. 35 on the farm of G. L. Heyde, circuit clerk of Cape Girardeau County, with The Little River Drainage District cooperating. Ditch No. 35 was cleaned out with a government dragline in 1938. This summer, the Delta Camp with Mr. Heyde cooperating, did the following work on the ditch through Mr. Heyde's farm: leveled the spoil bank and sowed it to a mixture of pasture and meadow grasses, constructed fences along the outside and adjacent to the spoil bank, constructed swinging watergates across the ditch at the upper and lower limits of the farm, and dug, sloped and seeded the inlets so that scouring of these inlets will be decreased.

The above area now forms a nice sized pasture which Mr. Heyde can utilize. In pasturing the ditch in this way, it is hoped that all weed and willow growth will be kept down within the ditch and on the spoil banks thus giving a greater capacity to the ditch and lessening the clearing requirements.

Mr. Heyde's farm is located one mile south and one and one-half miles east of Perkins. The above work can be seen from the road along the farm and the public is invited to view this work.

CLAYTON PROJECT NEARLY FINISHED

The CCC Camp at Delta, Missouri has recently been working on one-half mile of Ditch No. 35 to complete what is known as a demonstration project. The portion of Ditch No. 35 on which this work is being done is on the land of H. C. Clayton, a progressive farmer, who lives 2 miles east of Bell City, on the Bell City-Vanduser Road.

About two years ago, the camp, cooperating with The Little River Drainage District, cleaned out Ditch No. 35 by dragline. After this cleanout, Mr. Clayton contacted the camp and requested that it do additional work on the portion of the ditch running through his farm. With Mr. Clayton furnishing the supplies, materials, and a part of other costs, the camp will complete the following work on the ditch this fall, level both spoil banks and seed the area to grass for meadow or pasture, place a fence along the outside of each spoil bank, construct a water gate across the ditch at the property line, construct six concrete structures and two sod flumes at the points the farm drains enter the ditch.

Mr. Clayton will benefit from the above work by having additional area for pasture or meadow of his farm, and also the value of his farm will be increased because the unsightly spoil banks previously grown up with weeds and brush will now be low ridges covered with a growth of a mixture of grasses. Previously at the points the farm drains had entered Ditch No. 35, the drains had eroded back into the adjacent fields causing gullies. The structures are means to allow the water to be let down into the drainage ditch without any erosion. At points where the drainage areas were large and a great deal of water entered the ditch, concrete structures were built. At points the drainage areas were small, the inlets were sloped back about 40 feet and strip sodded and seeded.

The maintenance of the portion of ditch through Mr. Clayton's farm will decrease due to the following reasons: The weed and willow growth will be kept down by pasturing or mowing, all silt from the erosion of the farm drains, previously deposited in the bottom of the drainage ditch will be stopped. For this reason, the expense of future cleanouts will be less.

Mr. Clayton would like to have anyone see this work and talk to them about the advantages of treating the spoil banks in this way.

HOG CHOLERA CHIEF SWINE DESTROYER

Over 500 head of hogs worth at least $2,500 died last winter in Scott County because owners failed to use one common practice—vaccination, says Dr. Grimes, State Veterinarian in charge of swine disease work in Missouri.

The disease hog cholera still ranks as the nation's number one swine destroyer, Swine producers dread the words "hog cholera" when such a diagnosis is made in a herd of sick hogs. Why? Because even though the disease is stopped and most of the pigs are saved, the financial loss is always greater than if the pigs had been made immune by vaccination before the disease struck the herd.

The careful hog raiser takes no chances with this disease but has his pigs vaccinated two weeks before weaning. The cost for vaccine amounts to approximately 20 cents per pig of this age. Why lose a hog when insurance is so cheap.

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Baptist Church

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Alva Vaughn, Superintendent.

Morning Worship at 10:45 a. m. Sermon by Rev. W. C. Broderson, pastor of the Charleston Baptist Church. Rev. Milner will supply the pulpit at the Charleston church.

B. T. U. at 6:30 p. m. Mrs. Wallis Clippard, Director.

Evening Worship at 7:30 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Vision of Faith."

Weekly teachers and officers meeting each Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock; prayer service at 7:30 o'clock; choir practice at 8:30 o'clock. The choir has begun practice on a Christmas Cantata and all members are asked to attend each practice.

Rev. E. W. Milner, pastor.

Nazarene Church

For Sunday morning preaching hour the sermon subject will be, "Sanctify Them". In the evening the theme is to be, "Sanctification an Imperative."

The midweek prayer meeting is held at 7:30 each Wednesday night.

Sunday Bible School at 9:30 each Sabbath morning.

J. W. Hoffert, pastor.

U. S. ASKED TO CHECK REPORTS NAZIS ABUSE BRITISH CAPTIVES

London, Oct. 15.—Sir Edward Grigg, Under-secretary of War, said in the House of Commons today that United States authorities have been asked to verify reports from International Red Cross delegates that British war prisoners in Germany are being mistreated either by segregation, rating or in being forced to clear bombing debris in violation of the Geneva convention of 1929.

To a suggestion that captured German airmen be used for clearing bomb debris in Britain, Grigg replied that "because the enemy breaks conventions is no reason we should."

KIND OF COTTON FOR MATTRESSES

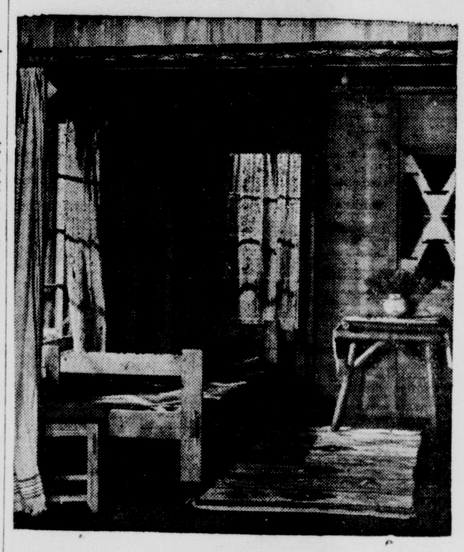
Cotton for best quality mattresses should be mature, ginned and dry. The job of making the mattress is also easier when the cotton is in good condition.

Those desiring to make mattresses, should save cotton for that purpose now. Ten yards of medium grade ticking are necessary. Directions for making the tick may be secured from the Scott County Extension Office as well as the twine and needles.

Camps and Playrooms

Not so very long ago, I did suggest in this column, various ways to decorate your camp. Letters, however, still ask for more ideas as well as ideas for the winter play room. Those who are just opening camp for the late season, or planning to use it in October will be interested, I hope, in the illustration which shows an alcove used as a bedroom in a rough log cabin. Here the fabrics, the curtains which shut it off, the decorations on the wall, the rug and the bedspread are of Indian character and most effective for such use. By all means find something of the same kind if you can and if you like this type of decoration. If not, a practical result can be achieved by the use of unbleached muslin for the draw curtains which shut off the alcove. To give them character, apply a border of striped material down the sides and across the bottom. Use the same striped band as a cornice across the top. The small curtains should be of a solid color appearing in the stripe and the bedspread could be of striped material. A primitive rug with the same colors would be a wise choice.

If you are beginning to think of a game room because you are converting a basement or cellar, consider how an attractive room was made with stone and brick wall as background. A shallow low shelf around the room where the stone joined the brick 6 inches from the floor gave a place to put trophy cups and also acted as a wall decoration. Gay checks, stripes or plaids make an excellent chair covering, repeated as draw curtains for the small high window above the shelf. With a background as rough as this use sturdy maple or oak furniture and so that the room will not be too dizzy, the floor covering should be plain in color, though having the same rough character.



An alcove off the main camp room may be curtained off with unbleached muslin with gay striped applique

YORK CLUB MEETS AT SCHOOLHOUSE

Twenty-two young folks met at the York Schoolhouse on Wednesday evening, October 9, with Charles Harvey, president, presiding.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Shelby were chosen adult sponsors of the club. Committees appointed were: Education, Motel Beck, chairman; recreation, Nadine Tate, chairman.

A meeting of the educational committee will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 5:00 at the schoolhouse. Miss Jane Hinote, state club leader, will help the committee work out a program at that time.

It was decided to send a delegate to the recreational school at Malden with expense paid. To raise some money for the club, they decided to give a play some time the latter part of November. Mrs. Laura Ayers will coach the play. The meeting was then turned over to Sara Smith, Cleddie Jones and Maudeline Gooch, the games committee, for this meeting.

The next meeting will be the second Wednesday night in November.

A speaker at a meeting rose to support a motion that a year ago he had opposed.

"Some of you," he said, "may wonder why I am supporting now the very thing I opposed last year. Well, I had a reason then. Now I have lost my reason."

Rudyard Kipling was born in Bombay, India.

CROSSROAD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cowger of Illinois visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Link over the week end.

Miss Flora Dell Tennyson of Fulton is visiting her aunt, Mrs. O. V. McReynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Goolsby and daughter, Jean Chlo, attended the play at the Matthews school Tuesday night.

Billy Hudson spent Sunday evening with James, Jr., and Billy Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Estell Saulsberry shopped in New Madrid Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sanders and son, Jimmy, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. McReynolds Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Davidson were called to Sikeston Monday morning by the illness of their daughter, Mrs. Eulalah Irvin, who was bitten by a spider Sunday night.

Maxine McReynolds spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McReynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. McReynolds and Flora Dell Tennyson made a business trip to New Madrid Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gadis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cox.

Jimmy and Billy McReynolds spent Sunday with their uncle, O. V. McReynolds.

J. T. HART PURCHASES PURE BRED BULL

J. T. Hart, who lives north of New Madrid on Highway 61, bought a year old registered Hereford bull calf at the district sale at Farmington last Monday. The bull which cost Mr. Hart around $140 was one of twenty-seven good Herefords consigned by St. Francois County breeders. It came from the herd of C. J. Westmeyer, Farmington, president of the county beef cattle breeder's assn. Top bull in the sale was out of the herd of Henry C. Detring, Knob Lick, Mo. The calf, also a Hereford, brought $197.50.

E. S. Matteson, extension animal husbandman, supervised the sale, and described the merits of herd sires, in a demonstration of five Herefords and two Angus herd bulls, prior to the sale. C. F. Detring, brother to Henry C. Detring, exhibited an eighteen month old Hereford bull purchased recently from a herd in Western Nebraska, for a price reputed to be $2600.

New Madrid county people at the sale included J. T. Hart, Harry Hart, Fred Geske, and County Agent Teal.

"That sailor wanted to kiss me sixteen times last night."

"How do you know he did?"

"Because I counted them."

Milligan Gets National Job

Washington, Oct. 15.—Attorney General Jackson anounced today assignment of Maurice M. Milligan, United States attorney for western Missouri, to conduct a nationwide investigation of complaints of law violation in connection with the November election.

Milligan, prosecutor in the Kansas City election fraud cases, was made special assistant to the Attorney General on leave of absence from his Missouri post.

The announcement said that the investigation would be conducted in every state or city where complaints indicated a "prima facie case of law violation."

"A great number of complaints," Jackson said, "have been filed with the department of justice or publicly made by officials of both national political parties and by individual citizens throughout the country, charging wholesale registration irregularities and conspiracies to violate the Corrupt Practice Act, the Civil Rights Statutes, the Hatch Act and other federal laws.

"The charges include receiving contributions and making expenditures in excess of the limits provided in the Hatch Act, passed registration lists, destruction of records, Hatch Act violations of a criminal nature, striking off of registration lists and various alleged conspiracies to violate federal statutes.

"The character of these complaints makes it imperative that we have a thorough investigation wherever such complaints appear well-founded and by a coordinated unit qualified to carry through prosecutions where warranted.

"To supervise such an inquiry, I have summoned to Washington Maurice M. Milligan, United States attorney for the western district of Missouri, whose successful prosecution of Kansas City election fraud cases in 1936-38 and the 1939 income tax cases broke the control of the Pendergast machine in Missouri."

Jackson said Milligan would be given the "utmost latitude" in conducting the investigation and would be given full cooperation by all department officials.

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MOREHOUSE NEWS

Mrs. Muriel Barnes is visiting friends and relatives at Jacksonville, Ill., this week.

Miss Naomi Terrell, who is employed in St. Louis, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Terrell.

Mrs. Madge Woods and children of Poplar Bluff is visiting her mother, Mrs. Josie Keeling this week.

Mrs. Eleanor Chapman and Mrs. Rosie Kinder motored to Malden Saturday afternoon where they visited friends.

Mrs. Tiny Clodfelter and son, Howard of Wappello are visiting their daughter and sister, Miss Lorraine, here this week.

Mrs. Nora Smith has purchased a cafe at Sikeston which was formerly the Mobil Gas Cafe

Baker Headlee visited his mother, Mrs. Otilla Headlee, Sunday en route to his home in Wichita, Kan. Mr. Headlee has been to New York as a buyer for the George Innes Co. of Wichita.

The Morehouse School Band attended the concert given by the Navy Band at Kennett Tuesday afternoon.

The Morehouse Public Schools dismissed Thursday and Friday for Teacher's Meeting to be held at Cape Girardeau.

Tom Lee, A. F. Stanley, Grover Meatte, Sam Harris and son, Raymond, of New Madrid were business visitors here Saturday.

Sea lions can be taught to stand erect.

MALONE THEATRE
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ENTERTAINMENT FOR ALL THE FAMILY

LAST SHOWING:
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17-18—
"Boom Town"
With Clark Gable, Spencer Tracy, and Hedy Lemarr
Comedy and News.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19—
"Return of Wild Bill"
With Bill Elliott
COMEDY AND SERIAL

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, OCTOBER 20-21—
"My Favorite Wife"
With Cary Grant and Irene Dunn.
News and Comedy.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22—
"The Villian Pursued Her"
With Anita Louise and Richard Cromwell
Comedy and Short.
BARGAIN NIGHT
—Matinee and Night—
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Total .....10c and 20c

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, OCT. 23-24-25—
"Knute Rockne"
With Pat O'Brien and Gale Page.
Comedy and Short.

All Matinees except Saturday and Sunday 10c and 20c
Saturday, Matinee and Night 10c and 30c
Sunday, Matinee and Night 10c and 36c

REX THEATRE
Sikeston, Missouri

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10-11—
"Honeymoon Deferred"
With Edmund Lowe and Margaret Lindsay
Admission—10c and 20c

SATURDAY, OCT. 19—
"Ragtime Cowboy Joe"
Serial—FLASH GORDON
Admission—10c and 25c

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, OCTOBER 20-21—
"Before I Hang"
With Boris Karloff
Admission—10c and 20c

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22-23—
"Millionaire Playboy"
With Joe Penner and Linda Hayes
Admission 10c and 16c

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24-25—
"Diamond Frontier"
With Victor McLaglen
Admission—10c and 20c

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Fire Reports Show Gas Far Safer Than Electricity

The United States observed Fire Prevention Week this year during the week of October 6-12. . Industry as a whole has contributed more to the success of these annual observances than any other class in our national economy and it has benefited proportionately, according to the National Fire Protection Association, of Boston, Mass., which states further that under present industrial conditions, with production on the upward curve, there is a need for tightening our defenses against fire.

An interesting fact that the latest statistics compiled by the Association reveal is that while 70,500 fires have been caused by electricity and electrical appliances and motors during the last annual period, there have been only 4000 fires caused by gas and gas appliances. Electrical fire losses totaled $25,200,000 and those from gas but $800,000.

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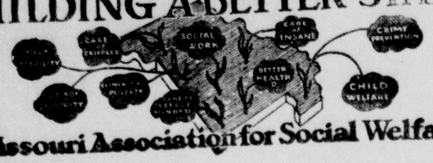
BUILDING A BETTER STATE



Missouri Association for Social Welfare

"OF CATTLE AND MEN"

Sixty-five years ago Disraeli declared in one of his famous speeches, "The first consideration of any government must be the health of the people". Health must be interpreted in a wide sense—health of the mind as well as the body.

Health service has become a major consideration of government but strangely enough in provision for safe-guarding health the physical health only of our people has been given consideration. Cromwell in an address before the British Parliament in 1656 said, "The mind is the man . . . if not I would fain see what difference there is betwixt him and a beast".

The state's duties and functions are first, to determine the extent of mental defect and disease within its borders by a properly conducted survey and evaluation of its social assets and liabilities. Second, to set up and put in operation such machinery as may be necessary to decrease its social liabilitie as they relate to mental disease and defect, to delinquency, dependency, and crime.

The people of a commonwealth are certainly as important as the cattle and swine that form a large portion of the wealth of the state and nation. Our state has spent enormous sums for the study and eradication of diseases that threaten our prosperity in the field of animal husbandry. Our schools and universities have been liberally endowed that education might make its contribution to the enjoyment of a more abundant life. Our physical health has been safeguarded by wise legislation and the establishment of agencies to enforce public sanitation, by quarantine and by immunization, but the mental health of the people without which there can be no capacity for enjoyment and no contribution to our social or economic assets, has been shamefully neglected.

The result has been the progressive increase in dependency, in juvenile delinquency, in crime, in feeblemindedness, and insanity as reflected in the state's increasing economic burden.

MRS. STARK TO MAKE SERIES OF CAMPAIGN TALKS IN OHIO

Jefferson City, Oct. 14.—Mrs. Lloyd C. Stark will make several speeches in Ohio tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday for the women's division of the Democratic National Committee, the Governor's office announced today.

Mrs. Stark left today for Defiance, O. The names of the cities where she will speak were not given.

The Governor's wife, who has often played a speaking role in Missouri campaigns, recently addressed the State Democratic convention at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Christmas is not a legal holiday in Kansas.

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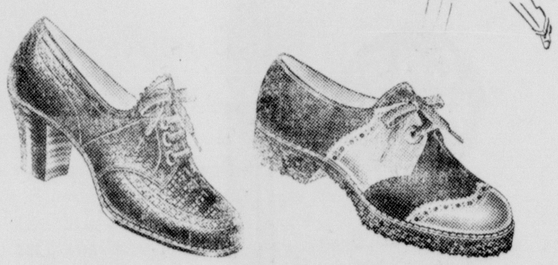

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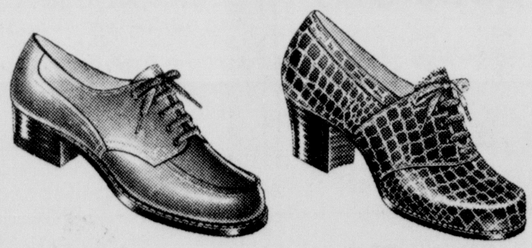

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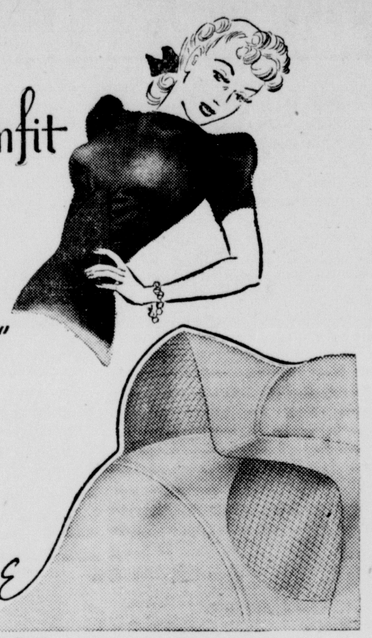

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Getting Better Results From Your Vacuum Cleaners

If you are not satisfied with the job your vacuum cleaner does on rugs and carpets, perhaps you may need a new cleaner. On the other hand, you may not be using your cleaner correctly so that it can do its work well. The first rule is using your vacuum cleaner is to make sure that the floor nozzle is adjusted to the thickness of each rug or carpet on which it is used. This is a must, if you want your cleaner to do its best work on rugs and carpets of different thicknesses. Some cleaners have nozzles that do not need adjusting. Find out whether nozzle of your cleaner does need adjusting and how it should be done.

If your cleaner has a motor-driven brush, the second rule is to keep the brush in good working order. Brushes will wear out with use. When worn they should be adjusted or replaced.

EMPTY DUST BAGS FREQUENTLY

Your cleaner will also be better able to do its work if you will empty the dust bag each time you use the cleaner. This is a disagreeable task, but if the bag is emptied on damp newspaper it really isn't so bad. Wear your household gloves and shake the dirt down toward the opening. Then hold the bag close to the damp newspaper and shake the dust out gently. And here's a caution note: Don't dump loose dust directly into your furnace or incinerator. Loose dust mixed with air sometimes forms an explosive mixture, which may explode on contact with flame. Disposable paper bag linings are available in cleaners of some makes. When cleaner bags grow old, dust may escape from them. to attempt repairing the fabric. When this happens, it is better not Buy a new bag.

DAILY USE IS GOOD

How long should a cleaner be run over a rug? That depends upon the regularity with which rugs are cleaned, the amount of traffic they get, the kind of soil in the rugs, and the kind of rug. The important thing about cleaning rugs and carpets is to get the dirt before it has a chance to settle far down into the pile, where it is most difficult to remove and may eventually do damage. A good rule is to use your cleaner daily in rooms where traffic is heavy.

Even twenty minutes spent in cleaning a 9 by 12 rug will probably leave some dirt in the rug. So don't be disturbed if a vacuum-cleaner demonstrator gets dirt out of your rug immediately after it has been cleaned with your cleaner. If your cleaner is a good one, and is working properly, it would get this extra dirt, too, if you emptied the bag and started all over again.

NO HARM TO RUGS

Forget the bugaboo that a good cleaner will wear out or injure rugs or carpets. It is well established that one of the chief reasons rugs wear out before their time is the dirt that is allowed to accumulate in them. Gritty dirt, ground under the heels, can shorten the life of the best rug. Reduce the dirt accumulation by regular use of your cleaner, and you will be helping to prolong the life of your rugs.

ABOVE-THE-FLOOR CLEANING

Most vacuum-cleaner manufacturers supply attachments for their cleaners for dusting and cleaning furniture, woodwork, draperies, radiators, clothing, and the like. Ask to have the attachments demonstrated for you, and be sure try them yourself. Some may seem more useful to you than others. You may not need them all.

Convenient for above-the-floor cleaning are the small hand-type cleaner we've tested and approved. These are light enough to be carried about and used with one hand. Hand-type cleaners are particularly useful for cleaning upholstered furniture. Attachments for other above-the-floor cleaning jobs come with some cleaners of this type.

Also effective for above-the-floor cleaning is the small-size tank-type of cylinder cleaner we have approved for this kind of work. However, we do not have on our approved list any of the tank-type or cylinder cleaners that are also sold for rug and carpet cleaning. We have not as yet found any tank-type cleaner that meets our requirements for removing dirt from rugs and carpets. We feel that rug and carpet cleaning is a vacuum cleaner's most important function. There is no other way we know of for a woman herself to keep her rugs and carpets clean, and lessen the accumulation of destructive gritty dirt, except by using a cleaner that has efficiency for this kind of work.

Oldsmobile's styling and advanced engineering principles for 1941 received highest praise from top ranking executives of General Motors Corporation at a special preview of the new cars at Lansing this week. Following a complete inspection of the full line of new Oldsmobiles, Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., chairman of the Board of General Motors, predicted the biggest year for Oldsmobile in the company's history for 1941. Photo shows Mr. Sloan at the wheel of a 1941 Oldsmobile convertible and C. E. Wilson, acting president of General Motors; D. E. Ralston, general sales manager of Oldsmobile; C. L. McCuen, R. H. Grant and Albert Bradley, vice presidents of General Motors. S. E. Skinner, general manager of Oldsmobile is shown beside the new model. Semo Motor Co. is local Oldsmobile dealer.

Post-Dispatch Critic Of Roosevelt, Backs Him for Third Term

St. Louis, Oct. 12.—The Post-Dispatch, which opposed President Roosevelt's re-election in 1936 and has severely criticised his foreign policy, announced today in an editorial its support of the President for a third term.

The newspaper, which often has been critical of the President's policies, stated "the decision is a hard one to make because it involves abandonment of the old American tradition against a third term and because of criticisms which this newspaper has been obliged to make and which it continues to make."

The editorial said Wendell L. Willkie, the Republican presidential nominee, by indorsements of New Deal domestic and foreign policies "practically removed them from the campaign and thereby robbed his own candidacy of any vital meaning. To sum it up, after careful and open-minded study of the Willkie candidacy, we find is singularly unconvincing, singularly empty of content."

It adds: "Roosevelt, as a President, as a statesman, as a politician, as a leader, is a known quantity. Willike, after a nationwide campaign, is still, in many respects, an unknown quantity. We know the one candidate, we do not know the other."

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SUPER-FIRE-FIGHTING IS SUPER-DEFENSE

Those individuals who are inclined to disregard the importance of peace-time fire-fighting and fire prevention may be impressed by the manner in which such work affects the strength of our national defense program.

According to news reports, negotiations are under way to send 25 American firemen to London to study new methods of quenching bomb-set fires. The plan was announced by J. Ray Pence, Secretary-Treasurer of the International Association of Fire Department Instructors. He is waiting approval of United States officials and sanction of London fire-fighting authorities.

Linking the proposed expedition with the national defense program, Pence said that after six months' experience in the combat area, the American firemen would return and train their colleagues in wartime fire-fighting technique. "Firefighters are almost as important in this war as aviators," said Pence.

If his plan is adopted, volunteers for the English trip would be selected throughout the United States.

The story behind this proposal shows to what a great extent fire is a menace to the strength of national defense. A fire started by an incendiary bomb is no more effective in destroying as essential industry than fire caused by plain negligence. Fire is a menace to reckon with whether it follows a prelude of roaring war planes and explosions, or whether it starts from a carelessly thrown cigarette, a neglected heating plant, or the arsonist's torch.

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JAM BUNS

2 c. bottled milk, or 1 c. evaporated milk and 1 c. water
½ c. melted shortening
¼ c. granulated sugar
½ teaspoon salt
1 cake compressed yeast
¼ c. lukewarm water
1 egg, well beaten
5½ to 6 c. sifted all-purpose flour Jam

Scald milk; add shortening, sugar, and salt; mix well. Then cool to lukewarm (80 to 85° F.) Soften yeast in lukewarm water, and stir into milk mixture. Add well-beaten egg and enough flour to make a thick batter. Mix thoroughly. Brush surface of dough with melted fat or salad oil. Cover with a clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85° F.). When dough is double in bulk, turn in onto a well-floured board, and knead, adding flour as necessary until it can be easily handled. Then break off small piece to form into 2" balls by folding the edges under until the top is smooth. Arrange in a greased pan, 13"x9"x2", with the rolls just touching. Cover with clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (8 to 85° F.) for about 15 min. Then make an indentation by pushing the handle of a wooden spoon held upright halfway down into the center of each roll. Fill each hole with jam, and let rolls rise for about 25 min. longer. Bake in moderately hot oven of 375° F. for 25 to 30 min. Makes about 2 doz. rolls.

FORD-WILSON

Miss Mildred Ford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Ford of Sikeston, became the bride of Witt H. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wilson of south of Sikeston, at 7:30 Saturday night, Oct. 12, in Matthews. The groom's cousin, the Rev. Hershel Yates officiated.

The bride wore a blue afternoon dress with wine accessories. She was attended by a friend, Miss Ruth Buckholz, who wore a wine afternoon dress with black accessories.

Norton Ford, brother of the bride, was best man.

Mrs. Wilson is a graduate of the Jonesboro Training School of Jonesboro, Ark., class of '39.

Mr. Wilson received his education in the Matthews schools.

They will make their home with the bride's parents until spring.

Hot Rolls That Are Different

Even though your baker may have a wide variety of bread and rolls, were sure he won't have these specialties which are picked from among many recipes we've been trying out in our Institute kitchen. You'll find them delicious. What's more, they don't call for overnight raising. The dough grows light and feathery as you go about your other work, and you'll have all the ingredients on your pantry shelves.

ORANGE BREAD

Use Institute-approved measuring cups and spoons. Measure level.

1 large, thick-skinend orange
¼ c. granulated sugar
¼ c. butter or margarine
1¼ teaspoons salt
1 compressed yeast cake
1 egg, beaten
About 3 c. sifted all-purpose flour

Cut orange in quarters, remove white core, and grind, using fine blade of food chopper. There should be 1 c. of pulp and juice. Combine with sugar, butter, and salt, and bring to a boil. Cool until lukeworm. Add crumbled yeast, and beat with a rotary beater until well-blended. Add beaten egg and enough flour (about 2½ c.) to make a stiff dough. Knead on a well-floured board for 5 min., adding flour as needed to keep it from sticking to board. Cover with clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85° F.) until double in bulk. Then knead for 1 min. on a floured board. Shape into a loaf, and put into a greased loaf pan, 10"x5"x3½". Cover with clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85° F.) until a little more than double in bulk. Bake in moderately hot oven of 375° F. for 50 min. Brush with melted butter, and cool on cake rack. Makes 1 loaf.

STATLER RUM ROLLS

1 c. battle milk, or ½ c. evaporated milk and ½ c. water
½ c. granulated sugar
¼ c. shortening
1¼ teaspoons salt
1 compressed yeast cake
1 egg
1½ teaspoon rum extract
3½ c. sifted all-purpose flour
2 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted
¼ c. seeded raisins, cut up

Pour scalded milk over ¼ c. sugar, shortening, and salt. Cool to lukewarm, and crumble yeast into it. Beat with rotary beater until smooth. Add beaten egg and rum extract. Add ½ the flour, and beat with rotary beater until smooth. Add remaining flour, and mix until smooth. Cover with clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85° F.) until double in bulk—about 3 hrs. Roll dough into two strips, each 12" long, ½" thick, and 4" wide. Brush top with melted butter, and sprinkle with ¼ c. sugar and raisins. Roll up, pulling dough out at edges to keep it uniform. Should be 15" long when rolled. Cut rolls in crosswise slices ¾" thick. Place in 3" greased muffin tins; cover with a clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85° F.) until double in bulk. Bake in moderate hot oven of 400° F. for 15 to 20 min. As soon as rolls are removed from oven, brush top with icing made of 1 c. confectioners' sugar, 2 tabelspoons hot water, 1 teaspoon rum extract. Makes 18 rolls.

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LEMON WAFERS

1 cup shortening
1½ cups sugar
Cream well and add:
2 eggs, beaten
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon grated lemon rind
5 cups JUANITA FLOUR
½ teaspoon salt

Shape dough into a roll, cover with waxed paper and keep in ice box till ready to bake when it may be sliced and baked in a quick ovn until delicately brown. Decorate with candied peel, cocoanut, nuts, raisins, or sugar.

Eating is extra special in every household, so this week we're giving you one if those recipes for extra-delectable cookies that are a little trouble to make, but they're certainly worth it, especially if you use JUANITA FLOUR . . . you're bound to get the results you want if you do.

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News of the Town

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter.—Phone 761W

Large selection of novelty pottery, also practical gifts for Bridge prizes. Woehlecke, The Florist, Phone 501.

Mrs. G. C. Baker returned Saturday from Kirkwood where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Ben Terrell, who, with her small daughter, Mary Jane, accompanied Mrs. Baker to Sikeston for a visit. They returned home Wednesday with Mr. Terrell, who drove down that morning.

Miss Mamie Greene of Rosemead, Calif., arrived last Thursday to visit her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker Sr., and their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Aduddell had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Chappell of Cairo, Ill., and Miss Maxine Winchester of Carbondale, Ill.

A special train will carry the Chillicothe Business College football team, the band, drum corps and some 300 roters to Boonville Friday where the Ducks play the Kemper Yellowjackets.

Mrs. Herbert Kays of East St. Louis, Ill., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simmons.

John F. Food Jr., of Memphis, Tenn., spent Tuesday and that night in Sikeston with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wood.

Mrs. F. F. Converse is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank B. Clarkson in University City and attending meetings of the Grand Chapter of O. E. S. in St. Louis.

Jane Bray went to New Madrid Monday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Gallivan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hoover spent last week end in Memphis, Tenn., on a business trip.

The Birthday Club of the O. E. S. met at the home of Mrs. I. G. Lewis Wednesday for their monthly luncheon. Hostesses for the event were Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. W. T. Malone, Mrs. B. L. McMullin, Mrs. Essie Baker and Mrs. F. E. Mount.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tisdale and daughter, Peggy Jo of East Alton visited Mrs. Tisdale's mother, Mrs. C. E. Bratton last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hedden had as guests last week end, Mr. and Mrs. James Arnett of Dallas, Tex.

Mrs. Dave Cummins and daughter, Miss Mavoureen of Morley were guests of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cummins last week end.

Mrs. Carl C. Wilkinson went to St. Louis Monday to attend the annual meeting of the Grand Chapter of the O. E. S., as delegate from the local Chapter.

Mrs. E. G. Buchanan, Mrs. Earl Malone and Mrs. Essie Baker were in Poplar Bluff Saturday afternoon to see Mrs. Bertha Green, who is in Brandon Hospital there recovering from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

The big annual Homecoming of the Chillicothe Business College Saturday, Oct. 26, with its mile-long parade, C. B. C.-Wentworth football game, banquets and Homecoming Ball will attract hundreds of alumni and visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cummins of Hayti are the parents of a daughter, born October 6 at the home of Mrs. Cummins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simmons in Sikeston. The child has been named Elizabeth Ann.

Mrs. T. B. Dudley returned to her home in St. Louis Sunday after visiting here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hedden entertained employes of the Sikeston Tractor and Implement Co., and additional guests at dinner in their home Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Uht and son, G. W., Mr. and Mrs. Bob Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Don Tetley, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Myers, Miss Lillian Belle Taylor, Miss Marie Marshall, Phillip Caverno, Miss Hazel Dorman and Thomas Mathis.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Self will have as their guests this week end Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Self of Hickman, Ky. The men are cousins.

★ FASHION PREVIEW ★

Tweeds that almost speak with a Scottish burr are going to be among the 'musts' for autumn, dedicated to college girls, introduces two charming ideas. (1) Green, red and natural plaid wool, the jacket with rounded lapels, a four-gored skirt. (2) Tan, white and teal blue Glen plaid, a long jacket, a four-gored skirt.

Installed as Supreme Governor of Moose

FRANCIS J. CLOHESSY

Harrisburgh, Pa. — Francis J. Clohessy, of Waverly, New York, was installed as Supreme Governor of the Loyal Order of Moose—the highest elective office in this Fraternity—August 31, at Harrisburg, Pa. The installing officer was United States Senator James J. Davis, Director General of the Moose. Mr. Clohessy's duties began September 1, and will continue for one year. He was unanimously elected to this office by the delegates to the Fifty-second Annual International Convention of the Moose Order at Des Moines, Iowa, July 2.

Francis J. Clohessy, Supreme Governor, Loyal Order of Moose, is an active lawyer and a former newspaperman. He was born in Waverly, N. Y., and received his elementary education there. He studied law and journalism at the University of Notre Dame, receiving in the 1920 the cum laude degree in law. For several years he was employed in the editorial departments of Elmira, N. Y., newspapers, covering the courthouse assignment and working on the desk.

Returning to his home town, he became attorney for the Village of Waverly and held that office for thirteen years. He is now serving his second term as District Attorney of Tioga County. He has served as attorney for the Board of Education and School District. He is a past president of the Tioga County Bar Association.

Mr. Clohessy is a World War veteran, having served nearly two years through enlistment. He is a past commander of the American Legion post in Waverly, past president of the Waverly Board of Trade, and past president of the Waverly Rotary Club. He is a member of the Sayre, Pa., Lodge of Elks, the Waverly Fire Department, and the Waverly Sportsmen Club.

His interest in the Moose was a natural one, since he was a son of the late Frank P. Clohessy, charter member and Past Governor of Waverly Lodge. Like his father, Mr. Clohessy is also a Past Governor of the lodge. He has served as chairman of the membership drive and other committees of the lodge and was in charge of the legal work in connection with the erection of the $150,000 Moose home in Waverly. In the Supreme Lodge he has served on the Judiciary Committee and Law Reversion Committee, as Chief Justice of the Supreme Forum, Supreme Councilman, Supreme Prelate, and Supreme Junior Governor.

Canadian river drivers say that the tiny punkie fly actually can crawl through heavy woolen blankets.

Q—One morning when you are in a hurry to get to work you reach an intersection and the slow poke in front of you can't make up his mind. Will you . . .

(a) Hope that he isn't going to make a right turn, and pass him on the right.

(b) Honk your horn, pull out and pass him on the left.

(c) Wait until you see which way he is going to turn.

Q—In this state a person learning to operate an automobile is not required to have a beginner's license if an experienced driver accompanies him.

.....True. .....False.

ANSWERS:
(c)
False.

Jupiter's slowest and most distant moon requires nearly three years to make the circuit around the parent planet.

Getting More For Your Food Dollar

Should you find it necessary to save on your food bills, don't do it at the expense of family health. Low-cost meals can be well-balanced nutritious meals if you will give a little thought and study to meal planning and preparation. Learn how to replace the higher-cost foods with lower-cost ones that are comparable in food value, so that your meals may not be lacking in vitamins, minerals, etc. Here are a few tips that will help you:

Milk and Cheese. Milk is your best food buy, whatever your budget or the ages of your family. You're getting calcium, phosphorus, vitamin A, and high-quality protein at bargain prices as compared with their cost in other foods. If your family doesn't like to drink milk it's just as nourishing in thrifty dishes, such as soups and chowders; cereals cooked in milk; creamed or scalloped vegetables; arrowroot, rice, custard or bread puddings, etc. Don't skimp on the 1 qt. each child needed daily as a drink or in cooking, or the 1 pt. each adult should have. You may use evaporated milk in your cooking. It gives the same food value as bottled milk, for less money. Also use the less-expensive cheeses as part of your milk quota. For example, 5 oz. American cheese equals 4 c. milk in food value. So, if you use ¼ pound sliced American cheese in toasted cheese sandwiches, you step up the family's daily milk quota about 3¼ c. Serve cheese often!

Meats and Fish. You can practice sound economy in your meat purchases by buying less-tender cuts from animals bearing the packer's or government's quality stamp. Such cuts have the same food value as higher-priced roasts, steaks, etc. In beef you have neck or shank for stews or meat loaf; flank, shortribs or liver to braise; chuck and rump for pot roasts, stews, or chopped beef, corned beef; dried beef; canned corned beef ;etc. In veal and lamb there's shoulder or breast for roasts, stews, braising, or chopped meat; shank or neck for braising, stews, or chopped meat; lambs' liver, etc. In pork you have the shoulder for roasting; spareribs, picnic hams or smoked butts for baking; ham shanks, canned spiced ham; sausages, etc. As for fish, don't forget the lower-cost fresh or salt fish, canned salmon and tuna.

Vegetables. Serve a yellow, a leafy, or a green vegetable every day to provide the vitamins A and C, as wel las valuable minerals. Many vegetables fit into low-cost meals, so compare market prices in shopping. In the yellow group, you have carrots; sweet potatoes; winter squash and yellow turnips. In the leafy group, there are salad greens; green cabbage; spinach; kale, dandelion, mustard, beet and turnip greens; collards; Swiss chard; watercress; parsley; and celery tops. The green group includes broccoli, kohlrabi, peas, peppers, string beans, asparagus, etc. Use canned and quick-frozen vegetables when you can. They're richer in vitamins than many market ones. Serve white or sweet potatoes frequently, cooking them often in their skins to save food values. Serve dried beans or peas, peanut butter, or nuts two or three times weekly.

Eggs. Because eggs are rich sources of vitamin A, iron, and protein, serve one a day per person if you can. If you must cut down because of price, let the children have most of the eggs. We suggest 4 or 5 weekly for each child; 2 or 3 for each adult, and a few extra in cooking. The egg a day need not always be served poached, scrambled, or cooked in the shell. Serve them in puddings, ice creams, egg sauces on vegetables, in sandwiches, milk drinks, etc. Weight for weight, white and brown eggs are equal in flavor and nutritive qualities. So don't pay a premium for one over the other. Eggs deteriorate rapidly at room temperature, so buy yours from a grocer who keeps them in a refrigerator. And store them in your refrigerator at home.

Bread & Cereals. The more you decrease your food allowance, the more important it is to serve cereals once a day, often twice. Be sure some are whole-grain ones. Fortunately, there is a variety of packaged cereals, including those that have been vitamin and mineral reinforced. In addition to being cheap fuel foods, these are important sources of protein, minerals and vitamin B1. To vary cereals, top with raisins, molasses, brown sugar, bananas, prunes, canned peaches, etc. Frequently serve macaroni, rice, spaghetti or cooked with meats, fish or cheese in casserole dishes, etc. Serve bread, hot breads, or crackers at every meal, with at least half of the whole-grain kind.

Q. If I take a girl out for the evening, take her to the show, buy her a box of chocolates, and take her for midnight lunch, should I give her a kiss when I say good night?—Reader.

A. Certainly not. You've done quite enough for her as it is.

Death Claims Mrs. A. B. Killian

Mrs. A. B. Killian died Monday evening after a lingering illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Opal Rodgers, in the east part of the city. She was 48.

She also leaves another daughter, Mrs. Thelma Beatley, Philadelphia, Pa.; a son, Junior Killian of Parma; a sister, Mrs. J. R. Elkins of Sikeston, and two brothers, Joe Blair of Catron and Geo. Blair of Poplar Bluff.

Interment took place Wednesday afternoon at Miner Switch.

LIME SPREADER PLANS AVAILABLE

Plans for building a home-made lime spreader using the rear axle and drive shaft of a Model T Ford or other car, have been worked out by K. B. Huff, extension agricultural engineer, Missouri College of Agriculture. Copies of these plans are free for the asking at the Farm Bureau office at New Madrid.

SODIUM CHLORATE TO CONTROL WEEDS

John Urhahn, farmer living 2¼ miles north of Benton on Highway 61, has a garden infested with bindweed, a weed hard to control. Friday, October 18, at 2:00 p. m., Mr. Urhahn with County Agent Lane, expects to use sodium chlorate poison as one method of weed control. Anyone who cannot identify bindweed, or who does not know the poison can be applied, is invited to attend the meeting.

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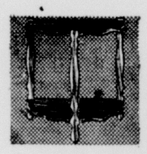
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VOTE
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NOVEMBER 5

The P. C. Editor Says:

The editor had the pleasure of attending a banquet along with fifty other 100 per cent Democrats at the hotel in Chaffee Wednesday evening in honor of Hon. Dwight H. Brown, Secretary of State and candidate for re-election. After the banquet Mr. Brown addressed a packed house in the theatre. We didn't remain for the speaking, but accompanied some of the county candidates to the Hooe School House up on the Base Line Road, where both of the large school rooms were filled for the speaking and the fun that followed. David Blanton, candidate for re-election to the office as Prosecuting Attorney, was master of ceremonies and after introducing the candidates following with a splendid address which was well received by those present. Then came the fun. When calls came for votes on the prettiest girl present and candidates were backward in coming forward, in our weak moment we spent a trifle over one dollar in an effort to win an angel food cake for an ingel, but fell short. It was the auctioning off of the pretty boxes containing pies that brought bids from the candidates present, David Blanton acting as auctioneer, and he knocked down a beautiful pie to his Dad who wasn't even a bidder. When the pie boxes were opened as handsome looking lot of pies were displayed as ever come from anyone's kitchen. Then men were nominated for the handsomest man and the same three were nominated for the ugliest man. We are making no remarks about these entrants. About $17 was realized from these auction sales which goes to the Library Fund of the school. We didn't remain for the picture show that followed. We were glad we were present as we enjoyed the entertainment very much.

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E. E. Singleton, district manager in Southeast Missouri of Krogers Stores, owns and operates a fruit and chicken ranch five miles out from Poplar Bluff, in connection with Mrs. Singleton, where he takes his leaves and gets his mind from business worries. This ranch contains 60 acres, most all of it cleared and set to peach and apple trees that will come into bearing in 1941. White Leghorns are used on this ranch as egg machines and some of these hens have run well over the 300 mark for one year. All eggs are trap nested and kept marked and when placed in the incubator are put in separate partition boxes on the eighteenth day in order the heaviest laying strains can be marked and kept track of. The Singletons have incubators of 5000 capacity that will turn out great numbers of these little balls of fluff. Mr. Singleton is very enthusiastic about their ranch and states Mrs. Singleton is likewise enthusiastic. Being an ex-chicken enthusiast we enjoyed this visit with Mr. Singleton Thursday morning very much.

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The lady who has a red headed baby has a right to be peeved when she was asked why she didn't set her baby out on a stump and let the peckerwoods feed it.

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We are in receipt of a letter from T. M. Scott, warden of the Missouri Penitentiary at Jefferson City, inclosing a card admitting us as a witness to the execution of Oscar Ashworth within the walls of the penitentiary at 12:01 a. m., on Friday, October 25, 1940. Thanks, Tom, but we will not be present.

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From the High School comes this one. The Movie Stars and convicts were to be registered at the same time on Wednesday in order to have the stars and stripes together.

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O. G. Butts, brother-in-law of Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr., died in Pittsburg, Pa., Thursday morning and the body will be taken to Washington, D. C., where the burial will take place Saturday morning. He had been in poor health for many months and his passing was not unexpected. The Blanton family in Missouri extend sympathy to the widow, Margaret.

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And why shouldn't the New Deal use the WPA to get votes for Roosevelt? It was the President and the New Deal that organized the WPA and made work for the many workers throughout the United States and any WPA worker who votes against the Democratic ticket should be given his 403 P. D. Q.

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Miss Wilma Randolph of Dexter will spend this week end as the guest of Mrs. Jewell Allen.

140th Moves To Establish Home Defense

Instructions and enlistment contracts for home defense units will be sent out Monday to company commanders of the 140th Infantry in Southeast Missouri, according to Col. Harry E. Dudley, regimental commander.

The reserve military force in the state will replace the National Guard, which will mobilize November 25 for a year's active training in camps.

Company commanders will have charge of recruiting for the home denfense. They will be assisted by the American Legion and other civic clubs of their cities, Col. Dudley said.

Col. Dudley spoke Monday night at the Legion meeting on the home program and invited members of the post to join the local unit to be formed.

Capt. Wade Shankle of Company "K" will begin recruiting for the Sikeston unit Monday.

The Reserve Military Force will be known as the Sixth Missouri Infantry and will be one of five regiments in the state. It will be directed by the governor through the adjutant general.

Strength of the home units, required by the state, will be from 23 to 75. National Guard commanders will try to sign as many recruits as possible over 23 up to the maximum, Col. Dudley said.

The home defense is to act strictly in case of local emergency, such as a riot or flood. Men 21 to 35 yeears in the ranks are still subject to the draft.

Enlistment blanks state members sign for three years unless sooner discharged by proper authority. Applicants are asked to list all prior military service.

Officers must be 21 to 64 years and should have had past military experience in the army, navy, marine corps, National Guard, organized reserve or R. O. T. C. Enlisted men must be 18 to 64.

The House of Representatives in Washington Monday passed a bill and sent it to the White House for the President's signature authorizing the creation of home defense units to replace the National Guard.

FIRST MAN SIGNS FOR HOME DEFENSE

U. T. Rabb, Legionnaire and ex-service man, became the first to sign for the home defense unit here, registering with Col. Dudley Thursday morning at the Highway Dept. office. Mr. Rabb enlisted May 1, 1918, with the 88th Division and served overseas ten months. He is a mechanic at the Highway Dept. garage.

Council Acts to Secure Private Strip on Streets

Condemnation proceedings to secure the rights-of-way for 60.8 feet of property, now privately owned and crossed by three streets, was authorized by the City Council in a special meeting late Monday afternoon.

The strip, part of a "panhandle" that extends along the north line of Wallace Street across Sikes, Moore and Lindley avenues, belongs to the Wm. H. Tanner Estate.

City Attorney Robert Dempster said proceedings would come up in the March term of Circuit Court, so paving projects will omit the privately owned strips.

The council passed an ordinance declaring it necessary to pave Sikes Avenue for two blocks, from Wallace to Wakefield, except for the 60.8 feet.

Paving on Moore now under way will give the street a concrete surface for the full distance from the Missouri Pacific tracks to Wakefield, with the exception of the short strip.

Lindley Avenue runs northward from the northeast corner of Bailey School grounds.

Showing the extent to which sudden death strikes, nearly 66,000 persons died last year within 12 months after having been accepted as fully insurable for life insurance, according to the Institute of Life Insurance.

Plane Averts 'Crises' Of Registration Cards

A registration card "crisis" in Southeast Missouri Wednesday was met on the spur of the moment when the draft headquarters at Jefferson City shot a supply of cards by airplane to Sikeston for county clerks of four counties.

The plane which dropped in at the local airport at 2:30 p. m. carried the last supply of forms remaining at the state office, 5000 registration blanks and 3500 certificate cards, as well as a proportionate quantity of information pamphlets.

CAUSED BY COTTON LABOR

Influx of cotton workers in this part of the state is believed the reason for the number of applicants running well over previous estimates.

Appeals came in Wednesday morning to County Clerk H. C. Watkins, Jr., at Benton from Rootwad, Lusk and Crowder, asking for more registration blanks. From the early morning rush, Sikeston Ward 1 also feared its supply might run out.

Calling Jefferson City, County Clerk Watkins was advised by Major John G. Christy, in charge of the draft headquarters, that a plane was bringing the last available supply of forms to the Sikeston field. Major Christy said New Madrid, Pemiscot and Stoddard counties already had appealed for additional cards.

QUICK DISPATCH

Col. Harry Dudley through the Highway Dept. here arranged for the supply to be divided and taken by automobile to the county seats so they might be distributed to precincts needing them before the evening rush.

Trooper John Tandy took 200 registration and 500 certificate cards to Benton, Col. Dudley 500 registration and 600 certificates to Bloomfield, while Weight Officer Troy Gladish went south with 500 of each for New Madrid and 1000 each for Caruthersville.

When County Clerk Watkins called Jefferson City, he was down to his last 25 registration cards.

Estimates of the registrants in different precincts were based on the population, which was determined by the last election vote, Federal authorities calculated 14 per cent of the population were males 21 to 35 years. The Scott County total was set as 4238.

The county clerk in the initial distribution pro rated an additional 1000 of each type of blanks among the precincts, and kept a further supply at his office in Benton.

At Lusk, where according to the government formula only 26 would register, the clerks found cotton workers from St. Louis, Illinois, Kentucky and Tennessee coming in. A similar situation occurred in many precincts over Southeast Missouri, although no call came from Dunklin County for more cards.

Dwight Brown Speaks At Democratic Rally

Secretary of State Dwight H. Brown gave a new definition to the "metropolitan press"—that of Russia, Germany and Italy—in listing the groups opposed to the re-election of President Roosevelt and the continued performance of the Democratic Party, in an address here Tuesday evening.

Speaking before a jammed house at the Rex Theatre, the state official, himself a candidate for re-election, named other groups he said are opposing the party in power: Republicans opposed to liberalism, "fifth column" organizations in this country, the very wealthy who resent the money spent on New Deal social projects, industrial groups opposed to the party's labor legislation, anti-third termers and groups condemning the present preparedness program, either criticizing it for being inadequate or too elaborate.

Brown asserted the metropolitan press of this country was to be expected to be against any Democratic candidate. Then he pointed out that Russia, Germany and Italy were very much opposed to the re-election of Roosevelt, and the controlled newspapers of the countries had attacked his candidacy. The speaker termed it foreign meddling in the affairs of this country.

Referring to the opposition of the Republicans as a party, the Secretary of State reminded the audience that it was a tenet of the American democracy that a rival party is permitted. He quoted former Postmaster General Jim Farley, ex-head of the Democratic party, who said, "We do not want a one-party government."

The speaker took issue with the "liberalism" of the Republican Party, however, declaring the large amount of legislation affecting the unemployed, infirm, blind, widows and orphans has been passed since the Democrats came into power.

Brown said a large number of people from foreign countries who had sought the advantages of this country were opposed to the re-election of Roosevelt. Those people have different ideologies from the American idea of government and are working to overthrow it. He added, however, that most of the foreign-born residents of the country had become good citizens.

Certain wealthy groups, Brown stated, had resented the far-reaching Social Security, labor laws and farm aid plans. He recalled that the days of age insecurity were not far back, and that thanks to laws brought about by the Democratic Administration workmen did not carry their former fear

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Legion Plans Flag Sale

The Henry Meldrum Post of the American Legion, in order to promote and instill more Americanism locally, has ordered a large selection of flags which will be sold here by Legionnaires, it was announced at the meeting Monday evening at the armory.

Through the sale and publicity, the post hopes to have flags displayed at every business house and home on holidays.

The local post, together with the one at Chaffee, will take charge of the program and furnish speakers for the unveiling of two memorial tablets at Benton commemorating the Scott County men who lost their lives in World War service. It will be held at the memorial fountain in the courthouse yard on Sunday Nov. 10.

It was decided to start a membership drive within the next two weeks with a goal of 150 by Armistice Day.

Committees for the ensuing year were appointed by the new president, Jean Hirschberg.

The next meeting will be at the armory on Monday night, Oct. 28. All ex-service men are invited to attend.

Semo Democrats Rally at Cape

A Southeast Missouri Democratic rally will be held at the Houck Field House, Cape Girardeau, on Tuesday, Oct. 22, headlined by Gov. R. T. "Bob" Jones of Arizona, United States Senator Harry Truman and Lawrence McDaniel, Democratic candidates for governor of Missouri.

A parade at 7 o'clock will precede the meeting, which begins at 7:30 p. m.

Loud Speaker at Grid Game Tonight

For the benefit of the spectators, details of the big Sikeston-Dexter football game here this Thursday evening will be broadcast over a loud-speaker system.

The Mitchell-Sharp Chevrolet Co. and "Humpy" Mattingly Sinclair Service Station is sponsoring the broadcast.

Names and numbers of players taking part in the plays, substitutions and other information will be announced.

Second Class To Begin at Air School

The vanguard of a contingent of 60 new cadets began arriving here this week preparatory to starting the second class of pilot instruction this Saturday at the Missouri Institute of Aeronautics, Inc.

By Thursday afternoon, 57 of the expected class of 60 had arrived here. They were all from states beyond this army corps area. Most came from Indiana, some from Minnesota and one was from Massachusetts.

The second group of enrollees, nearly twice as large as the first class that was begun five weeks ago, has been assigned here by the United States Army Air Corps for primary aviation training.

Every five weeks a new group begins the 10-week course.

Of the original class of 32 that began Sept. 14, all have made their original solo flights, and five of the number have "washed out."

NEED FLYING APTITUDE

Explaining the failure of the five to pass all the tests demanded by the army, A. B. Woodbury, general manager of the school, pointed out some students did not have a natural aptitude for flying. Some, he said, might make the grade if more instruction were given, but the army has only a limited amount of time to spend with each man and cannot delay to accommodate the slower ones.

More of the first class may be eliminated before the 10-week period is up and they are ready for basic training at Randolph Field, Tex.

HANGAR GOING UP

Concrete to support the walls and for the footings has been poured for the new hangar, being built beside the present one. The second hangar also will be steel. Beams for the building began arriving Tuesday.

C. Crooks of the International-Stacy Corp., Columbus, Ohio, firm which supplied the steel, is here for the construction.

To Dedicate Benton School

Dedication of the new brick Catholic School building at Benton will take place with special ceremonies Sunday morning.

Rt. Rev. Msgr. James Murray, superintendent of schools in the archdiocese of St. Louis, will perform the dedication, which will take place at 11 o'clock.

Immediately following the dedication, solemn high mass will be said by Fr. Joseph LeGrand of Nashville, Ill. Fr. LeGrand is a native of the Benton parish.

The four-room brick structure was built to replace the frame building that housed both the church and school, which burned last January.

Church is being held in the basement.

Members of the parish assisted in the construction of the building, especially in carpentery work.

Classes have been held in it since last week.

State Leader Talks To Woman's Group

At the meeting of the Woman's Civic Club in the library Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Morrell DeReign of Caruthersville, state treasurer of the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs was guest speaker. Mrs. Paul Brewer presided at the business session, when the members voted that the club's project for the ensuing year would the furnishing of the nursery at the Sikeston General Hospital. Mrs. W. C. Whittle was appointed chairman of the ways and means committee and Mrs. Swan McDonald, Jr., was asked to head the civics committee.

The next meeting will be held Nov. 5, when Mrs. M. M. Beck will review the book "The Fireside and the Wood" by R. C. Hutchinson.

L. A. W. CLASS

The L. A. W. Clas sof the Christian Church will hold a Rummage Sale Saturday, Oct. 19, in a stand just north of the church building on South New Madrid Street.

County Court Picks Judges For Election

Election judges for the coming general election November 5 were chosen from lists submitted by both the Democratic and Republican parties by the County Court Tuesday afternoon.

Democratic party judges are:

DEMOCRATIC JUDGES

Illmo—G. E. Tucker, Raymond Smith, Clarence Seals.

Fornfelt—Emil Steck, Mrs. Frances Klughart, Mrs. Josephine August.

Ancell—Wm. Welter, Miss Bertha Welter, Mrs. Joe Burger.

Kelso—Fred Burger, John Keusenkothen, E. L. Welter.

Chaffee No. 1—Tillman Blocker, Chas. Allen, R. T. Ahlsted.

Chaffee No. 2—L. D. Lankford, Norbert Essner, Word Ozee.

Oran No. 1—Geo, J. Vogel, H. M. Gateley, Alene Poe.

Oran No. 2—Arnold Stehr, Chas. Baty, Mrs. E. E. Dancey.

Perkins — Ben Elfrank, Ben Cook, Vinton Hartley.

Bleda — Tony Gosche, John Scheeter, Frank LeGrand.

Morley — W. R. McDonough, Mrs. H. F. Emerson, Forrest Watson.

Vanduser — L. P. Woodward, Robert Gober, Henry Utnage.

Blodgett—J. F. Nunnelee, Alma Cope, Lester Graham.

Benton—D. W. Gilmore, A. E. Halter, W. A. English.

New Hamburg—Philip Bucher, Arnold Dirnberger, Frank Steimle.

Diehlstadt — Ollie Kirkpatrick, Terry Bagwell, Mrs. Clarence Cooper.

Lusk—Robert Hesselrode, Chas. Martin, Mrs. Joe Stricker.

Sikeston No. 1—N. E. Fuchs, Jr., R. A. Dempster, O. M. Arthur.

Sikeston No. 2—C. E. Felker, John G. Powell, Dick Hopper.

Sikeston No. 3—C. H. French, Lee Lawrence, Judson Boardman.

Sikeston No. 4—Less Sexton, Mae Martin, R. M. Houchins.

McMullin—W. B. Simpson, Carl Luper, Theodore Hopper.

Rootwad—Anna Jewell Hahn, Ralph Sherrill, Moore Jamison.

Miner—Roland Malcolm, Ben Matthews, Nancy White.

Crowder — Albert Dame, Ray Marshall, Charles Miller.

Commerce—Grady Darby, Jim Young, Mrs. P. B. Held.

REPUBLICAN JUDGES

Republican judges are:

Sikeston, Ward 1—G. M. Greer, Frank Van Horne, Mrs. Eula Bowman.

Sikeston, Ward 2—J. H. Hayden Sr., Hez Ozment, J. H. Kready.

Sikeston, Ward 3—W. O. Scott, Charles W. Rose, Earl J. Malone.

Sikeston, Ward 4—C. C. Reed, Fred Jones, Jr., Mrs. Jewell Allen.

Rootwad — Paul Montgomery, James Hodges, David Allard.

McMullin—Jess Ward, Frank Fadler, John Dumey.

Blodgett—J. W. Moore, Mrs. Goldie Pearman, John Austin.

Lusk—Mrs. Richard Brazell, J. R. Brazell, Robert Perkins.

Vanduser—Oscar Duncan, H. E. Barnes, Val Hamby.

Oran No. 1—Henry Brinker, Albert Brady, Mrs. Tolbert Gill espie.

Miner Switch—Mrs. M. V. Hill, Mrs. Lizzie Matthews, W. F. Woods.

Crowder—Mrs. Sherry, Rance Sherry, Arnie Utley.

Diehlstadt—A. G. House, W. F. Dennis, Roy Colliflower.

Commerce—Mrs. Ida Hawkins, Andrew Alexander, Mrs. Rose Davis.

Morley—Curtis Moore, J. R. Murphy, Mrs. Maude Daugherty.

Oran No. 2—Paul Halter, Joe Lauck, Walter Temme.

Chaffee No. 1—Guy Maxwell, J. L. Hood, Mrs. Christa Grace.

Chaffee No. 2—C. E. Campbell, Carl Fatchett, Lawrence Williams.

Bleda—Frank Pobst, Paul Propst, John Dohogne.

Kelso — Elmer Dannenmueller, Mike Diebold, Ed Hahn.

Fornfelt—C. E. Brewer, A. C. Shipman, R. J. Tomlinson.

New Hamburg—Otto Diebold, John Hamm, John Stike.

Perkins—Walter Irvin, Henry Thomas, F. Bradshaw.

Ancell—W. A. Georger, W. L. Arnold, A. J. Blattel.

Illmo—Elmer Dunnegan, Maurice Craig, Alfred Eifert.

Benton—Kenneth Dye, Joe Buhs, E. R. Tirmenstein.

Residents of the United States, comprising 6 per cent of the world's population, own nearly 65 per cent of the world's life insurance.

Registrants Now Wait for Time and Fate

After registration, what?

Chiefly, for the man who put his name on the dotted line, it will be a matter of sitting tight and waiting for the draft machinery—and fate—to take their course.

The Scott County Draft Board, consisting of County Judge J. D. O'Connor, Sheriff John Hobbs Circuit Clerk Leo Pfefferkorn, now begins function.

The board received the 4048 cards signed in Scott County and will give them serial numbers. The order in which a man is called before the draft board depends upon a drawing in Washington.

OFFICE AT COURTHOUSE

The draft board, meeting Thursday morning, chose Mr. O'Connor chairman and Mr. Pfefferkorn secretary. An office will be set up at the courthouse, Mr. Pfefferkorn said.

The drawing in Washington of numbers corresponding to those in this county, as well as for every other draft area in the United States, will take place sometime next week, between Oct. 21 and 26, the government has announced.

A person may learn his serial number and order number, which will be posted at Benton.

QUESTIONS TO COME

After the registrant received his order number, he will receive an eight-page questionaire from the county board. It must be answered and returned in five days. Advisory boards will help registrants fill out the questionaires. A county board can inform the person where to locate the advisory board.

Deferments will come after the person is called before the board.

Registrants should keep their certificates at all times. If one is lost, another should be secured immediately from the county board.

Even though he has registered, a man may enlist in the army, navy or marine corps. However, he must notify his local board.

Farmer Injured In Collision of Wagon and Truck

A farmer riding on a wagon hauling cotton seed was injured in a sideswiping collision with a truck Thursday morning on Highway 61 just south of the city.

Charles Bunch, 57, was thrown from the wagon to the concrete when a Ford 1½ ton truck hit the wagon, it was related to the State Patrol.

Both vehicles were going south when the truck, driven by W. A. Pratt, 24, of Sikeston, caught the wagon at the right front corner of the truck bed. The wagon, driven by Claude Wright, 49, was making a right turn at the time into a farm entrance, the Patrol reported.

Bunch in the fall suffered a scalp injury and possible skull fracture. He was brought in the Welsh ambulance to the Sikeston General Hospital and treated by Dr. A. D. Martin.

The wagon was demolished. The mules pulling it ran away with the front part of the vehicle and were caught a quarter of a mile away.

The farmers work for R. T. "Dode" Wayman.

Memphis Youths Bound Over on Car Theft Count

Pleading guilty to stealing a Sikeston automobile and driving it to St. Louis, two Memphis youths were bound over to Circuit Court in a hearing Wednesday morning by Justice Brown Jewell.

The boys, Grady Warren Horton and Jack Muriel Kirk, both 17, admitted taking the Plymouth coach of A. C. Sims, parked near the service station at Malone and East streets where the owner works, Saturday afternoon.

The pair were apprehended at St. Louis Saturday night.

They told of trading a tire in the car for gasoline near St. Louis.

Brought from the Benton jail for the hearing, they were returned there afterward.

Scott County Registers 4048 Men

There were 4048 men registered Wednesday in Scott County for the draft, it was announced Thursday morning by County Clerk H. C. Watkins, Jr.

Sikeston had a total of 1596.

While the result ran slightly less than 200 under the original estimate for the whole county, which was 4238 on a basis of population proportion, that of Sikeston ran over 350 above the estimate.

Some of the smaller rural precincts, receiving many itinerant cotton workers, ran ahead of their estimates, causing a temporary shortage of registration cards. This was quickly adjusted.

QUICK REPORTS

By 10:15 p. m. Wednesday, the county clerk had heard from all precincts but Miner Switch, which was reported Thursday morning.

There is a provision that any county with more than 2500 registrants can have an additional draft board, so the present county board is awaiting further instructions from Jefferson City, Mr. Watkins said.

Quite a number of traveling persons and residents of other counties and states registered in Scott County. These will be sent to their respective boards. On the other hand, any Scott County citizen who registered elsewhere will have his card sent to Benton.

PRECINCT RESULTS

Registration by precincts was:

Sikeston: Ward I, 538; Ward II, 353; Ward III, 337; Ward IV, 368.

Commerce 94, Diehlstadt 89, Lusk 66, Blodgett 125, McMullin 122, Rootwad 101, Miner 67, Crowder 64, Kelso 75, Fornfelt 147, Illmo 169, Ancell 49, Chaffee Ward I 268, Chaffee Ward II 123, Benton 189, New Hamburg 54, Morley 153, Vanduser 168, Oran, 237, Bleda 31, Perkins 61.

NEW MADRID LISTS 6299

With a total of 6299 persons registering, New Madrid County ran well over the anticipated 6000 and had further registration to complete Thursday at Portageville and Gideon.

An influx of cotton pickers, causing the totals to exceed estimates, caused all but seven precincts to call for more cards from the office of County Clerk R. L. Jones.

The special allotment flown by plane from Jefferson City eased the condition some, but names of over 70 men at Portageville and 17 at Gideon were taken with the promise they would be furnished cards later.

Registration by precincts was:

Gideon 614; Hartzell 53; Matthews 340; Fairview 147; Cade 29; York 61; Parma 342; Phillips 95; Risco 314; Catron 335; Baderville 134; Henderson Mounds 33, Conran 196; Marston 234.

Point Pleasant 126, Scott School 142, New Madrid 574, Kewanee 183, Fahrenberg 138, Kendall 103, Portageville 768, Bookerton 85, Tallapoosa 111, Barnes Ridge 75, Higgerson 17, Morehouse 330, Canalou 245, Maple Grove 77, Lilbourn 398.

MRS. A. T. BUSH DIES AT BROWNSVILLE, TEX.

Funeral services will be held this Friday afternoon for Mrs. A. T. Bush, who died at Brownsville, Tex., Monday, Oct. 14, of infirmities. She was reared near Bertrand and has many friends in Sikeston, where she frequently visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. A. Young. Surviving are the husband, one son, Ray Bush of Kansas City, and two brothers, Rev. Clarence Burton and Ed Burton, of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Young, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Francis will attend the services.

COMPLIMENTARY TICKET
SIKESTON STANDARD
This Ticket Will Admit
Archie Beasley and friend
—to the—
MALONE THEATRE
Thursday, Oct. 17 to see
"BOOM TOWN"

Britain Aid Boxes Shipped

Ten large packing boxes of clothing for British War refugees were shipped from here Thursday morning to Bundles For Britain, Inc., in New York, by the president of the local organization, Mrs. T. C. McClure.

Other clothing and shoes will be shipped next week, Mrs. McClure said.

She praised the response to the drive and said the quality of the clothing was especially appreciated.

Women who wish to aid by sewing are asked to meet Tuesday at 1 p. m. at the Odd Fellows Hall, bringing a thimble and scissors, she announced.

All yarn ordered for knitting of seamen's garments and aviator's helmets has been distributed among local women and more is ordered, Mrs. McClure stated.

Those missed in the canvass for clothes who can contribute are asked to get in touch with Mrs. B. F. Blanton, Mrs. Arthur Reese, Miss Helen Virginia Keith or Mrs. McClure.

MISS HENRIETTA MOORE'S CONDITION IMPROVED

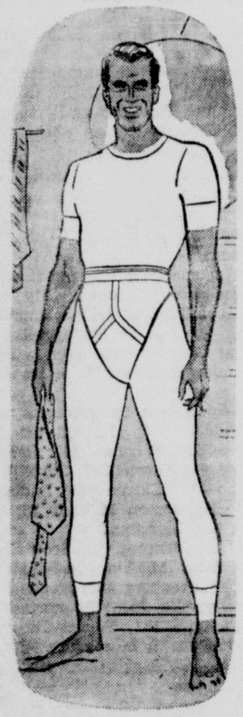
Miss Henrietta Moore, who was injured in the automobile crash Sunday night in which George Bridges was fatally injured, was able to be brought Monday from St. Mary's Hospital, Cairo, to her home with her mother, Mrs. A. J. Moore, 517 Park. Miss Moore, who is under the care of a nurse, is reported improved. She suffered severe sprains and shock.

PENNEY OFFICIAL TO WINDOW DISPLAY SCHOOL

Archie Beasley, assistant manager of the J. C. Penney Co. store, will be in St. Louis from Sunday to Friday at a window display school put on by the Penney system for this district. About 35 assistant managers will learn the latest methods of designing displays in windows and stores, and Mr. Beasley will bring these plans to Sikeston.

Paul Brown, manager of the store, attended a district meeting of Penney managers this Thursday evening at Centralia, Ill., in connection with the window display school.

LET'S LOOK AT
MEN'S LEGS
FOR A CHANGE



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Local Man Gets 'Bait' in Mexican Trunk Swindle

A warning to Sikeston residents not to be deceived by the old Mexican trunk swindle was issued Thursday by Postmaster Pleas Malcolm, after a local person received a letter from Mexico City which was the initial step in the hoax.

Claiming the receiver of the letter was recommenced by a "person who spoke highly of you," the writer said the outcome would determine "my future and the future of my darling." Then he wrote:

TELLS OF "HIDDEN CASH"

"I am in prison sentenced for bankruptcy and I want to know if you are willing to help me save the sum of $285,000 which I have in bank bills inside the secret part of a trunk that is deposited in a custom-house in the United States of North America.

"As soon as I send you some undeniable evidence it would be necessary for you to come and pay the expense incurred in connection with my process in order to lift the embargo on my baggage and thus recover a suitcase that contains all the necessary documents, especially a baggage check that we need to take out the trunk that contains the cash and which is deposited as stated in a custom house in the States.

For services rendered the Sikeston man was to receive onthird of the fortune in the trunk.

The writer said he was head of the prison school and therefore had the freedom of writing. He said he was afraid to sign his name, but gave the address of a trustworthy "friend," Sr. V. G. Ramirez in Mexico City, who would receive the reply.

SEEK MANY VICTIMS

Postmaster Malcolm declared it is an old swindle. Thousands of letters are sent out, with the hopes a few persons may "bite."

To avoid legal complications, no proposition is mentioned in the letter, but finally, Mr. Malcolm said, the interested party is asked to come to Mexico. Then he is induced to "bribe" an official as the first step in "releasing" the man from prison. If the intended victim gets wise, he is generally robbed by force.

SON TO BREWERS AT ARLINGTON, VA.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Brewer of Arlington, Va., have announced the birth of a son, Monday, Oct. 14. The boy is the third child but the first son in the family. He weighed 8 pounds 12 ounces.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS TO MEET AT BENTON FRIDAY

Scott County Young Democrats will organize a "First Voters' Club" in a meeting this Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Benton courthouse, it was announced by the president, Charles Bethune. All Young Democratic Club members and new voters are asked to be present.

The Iowa Gazette in a late issue, says the body of Black Hawk, Indian chief, was not "buried but placed on the earth in a sitting position with his cane between his hands." The burial was according to the rites of the Sac Nation and attended by a large number of white people—100 years ago in Commercial Appeal.

A document that purports to be the marriage certificate of Eugene Field was found in St. Joseph among some old papers by the daughter of a late minister. The famous poet was married to Miss Julia Comstock, of St. Joseph, October 16, 1873, according to the document. Field's address was given as St. Louis. Mrs. Elliott Marshall discovered the paper in the drawer of a sewing table. Strangely enough, it was not signed by the minister, the late James Runcie.

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Bank Officials Of District Hold Annual Session

Sixty bank officials of Group 6, Missouri Bankers' Association, gathered here Thursday at the Dunn Hotel for their annual meeting.

With O. J. O'Bryant of Chaffee, persiding, the following program took place in the morning:

Invocation—Rev. John L. Taylor.

Address of welcome—Leroy Leslie, cashier of the Bank of Sikeston.

Response—Mr. O'Bryant.

Address, "Association Affairs"—F. C. Hunt, president of the Missouri Bankers Association and vice president of the First National Bank of St. Louis.

Address, "Bank from the Viewpoint of an Attorney"—Ray Lucas, State Insurance Commissioner.

Following a dinner at noon, Ernest Robert Rosse, humorist and philosopher from Philadelphia, Pa., was scheduled to talk. New officers were to be elected.

Irvin Waller of Malden was secretary the past year.

Counties in the Group 6 district are Bollinger, Butler, Cape Girardeau, Carter, Dunklin, Iron, Madison, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Reynolds, Ripley, Scott, Stoddard and Wayne.

Blue Jays Beat East Prairie, 44-0

Charleston High School swamped East Prairie, 44-0, Wednesday night on the Eagles' field in a nonconference game, Rex Jackson, Buford Sutherland and Jack Carson carrying the ball for most of the yardage and touchdowns.

Democrats, G.O.P. Canvass City

Both the Democratic and Republican parties are canvassing the city to determine the party affiliations of the voters. Persons checking ask the number of persons of voting age at the residence and which party they subscribe to. It is a cusotmary survey prior to a general election.

KITCHEN DAMAGED BY FIRE WEDNESDAY

Fire starting from an oil stove explosion caused $200 or $300 damage to the kitchen and rear porch of the Ralph Ancell residence, 524 Sikes Avenue, at 7 o'clock Wednesday night. Firemen kept the blaze from spreading to other parts of the house.

An alarm was turned in Thursday afternoon from the Sikeston Gin when cotton being ginned caught fire. The blaze was small.

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Sikeston School News

EVENTS OF STUDENT LIFE

ON REGULAR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

As we scan the large list of absentees in high school each day, several problems present themselves for solution. Is our curriculum adjusted to the needs of the students? Are we as teachers failing to do a good job of teaching? Are the students interested in school? Are the parents interested in the welfare of their children? Are the parents willing to cooperate with the school? Why are some students consistently on the absentee lists? Why are some students consistenly on the failure list? What is the attitude of the parents when notified of the child's absence or failure? These are some of the vital questions our teachers are confronted with daily.

We are still old-fashioned enough to believe that punctuality and regularity are important lessons each child must learn, and the responsibility for same rests with the parents. While the schools are being called on constantly to assume more and more responsibility for the welfare of the child, there are definite obligations of the parents that cannot be assumed by anyone else.

Recently, we heard a wag say in a humorous mood that there was just as much authority in the home as there ever was but it had changed hands. Sometimes we wonder if there is not some degree of truth in the statement. Frequently, we hear parents say, "We just can't do anything with our children." What then should the school be expected to do? Unless there is complete cooperation between the home and school, and a willingness to learn on the part of the student, the efforts of our teachers become so much "water on a duck's back." With the large number of absences that we have daily it is unusual for a student to bring in an unexcused absence slip or one which the parents refuse to sign. We realize also that in many cases students have ample reason for being out of school and should be. We are not talking about those cases.

It is interesting to note that the students whose names appear regularly on the absentee list are to a very large extent the ones who make up the failure lists that are sent to parents regularly from the principal's office. Another interesting fact is that the highest ranking students are the ones who study at home practically every school night. Nothing is allowed to interfere with the home study of the students who are consistently on the honor and proficiency rolls.

We believe that going to school is a serious business and is considered so by a great majority of the parents and students. Also, that anytime a student is absent from school there should be a genuine reason and there should be complete cooperation between the home and school.

Traffic Tickets for Parking too Long

Sixteen warnings against parking downtown more than an hour were given to local motorists over the weekend.

Summoned to appear in police court, the drivers were notified a second appearance would mean a fine. Names of those appearing are filed for future reference.

After an initial period of "education", local officers are issuing tickets for over-parkers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reiss will leave this Friday morning for Atlantic City to attend the National Dairy Exposition to be held there Oct. 21 to Oct. 24. They expect to be away about ten days.

Mrs. Abe Davis and her infant daughter, Barbara Ann, were brought home Tuesday from the Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff, where they had been since the child's birth. Mr. Davis drove to Poplar Bluff and accompanied his family to Sikeston.

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REPOSSESSED CARS FOR SALE
1938 Plymouth Sedan, 1937 Ford Coach, with radio, 1932 Chevrolet Coupe. No finance charges, take over payments for balance.
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WANTS

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms. 235 N. Prairie. Phone 691. tf-9

FOR RENT—6-room apartment with garage. 415 Prosperity, Phone 732. tf-9

FOR RENT—Sleeping room in modern home. Prefer couple. 311 Moore Ave. (tf-7)

FOR RENT—2 room unfurnished apartment, 666 Park. Phone 793. (tf-9)

FOR SALE—1938 Ford V-8 Coupe, priced right. Phone 613. (1t-8)

FOR RENT—4 room unfurnished apartment. 241 Kathleen. (tf-5)

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms. 118 Kathleen. (1t-10)

FOR RENT — 5-room furnished house, water and hardwood floors. See T. A. Slack. (tf-10)

FOR SALE—Brand new 3-room house on 2 lots. Priced to sell. Write R. C. M., Box 111, Sikeston, Mo. (2t-9p)

FOR RENT—3 room unfurnished apartment with bath, also garage. 643 Kathleen, Phone 495. (tf-7)

MARGE—Come back home. I have saved enough money by buying our furniture at Survers Furniture Store to get you that new fall coat.—Ed. (tf-5F)

USED COMBINES For Sale—No. 61 International, Oliver Model 6, also some good reconditioned Allis-Chalmers 6ft. model 60's. Ph. 489. Lewis & Matthews Implement Co., Sikesteon. (tf-5)

MAN WANTED for 800 family Rawleigh route. Permanent if you are a hustler. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. MOJ-560-123, Freeport, Ill. (1t--10p)

COAL—We can supply your needs by the ton or truck load. Furnace, lump or for the range. Sikeston Fuel Co., on Center rear Odd Fellows Hall. Phone 195. 10

DON'T FORGET to come to the Sikeston Furniture Co. for the low down on furniture of all kinds. We also have some real bargains in land. Farms 40 acres and up at very cheap prices. Sikeston Furniture Co., 517 Prosperity St., Sikeston, Mo. (2t-10)

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Featured by Whites Drug Store.

FOR SALE—55 x 100 lot, Greer Ave., 1 block west of Shoe Factory, on paved street. Call 331. (tf-10)

FOR SALE—Fine home, corner North Park and College. See Finney, Home Oil Co., Charleston. (tf-72)

FOR SALE—Seed Barley and Seed Wheat. Murray Klein, Phone 458. 5t-10p

WANTED—Middle aged woman for general housework. Mrs. J. E. Polhamus, 833 Park. Phone 1038. (1t-10)

PHONE 931, Martin Service Co. for Refrigeration service, authorized Kelvinator Service. (tf-84)

FOR RENT—Large modern sleeping room. Mrs. C. E. Mitchell, Phone 810. (1t-9)

FOR SALE — One-wheel Sears Trailer, excellent condition. Reasonable. Can be seen at 620 N. Vernon, Phone 1084-W. (2t-9p)

WANTED—Work by experienced dressmaker and tailor. Mrs. Mamie Greer, 215 W. Gladys, Phone 1088. (tf-8)

FOR LEASE—2 stall Service Station and Cafe. Good location, Highway 61 Sikeston. $700 required to finance. Write B., care The Standard. (2t-10p)

FOR SALE—1939 Ford Pick-up. Sikeston Sales Co. (1t-10p)

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bains of Newport, Ark., and Mrs. Marie Walker of Fornfelt were week end guests of Mrs. S. E. Swanagan.

FOR SALE
Residences for Home or Investment, excellent locations.
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NOTICE OF TAX CERTIFICATE SALE

The following is a publication of lands and lots in the City of Sikeston, County of Scott, upon which tax certificates are to be offered for sale at the Court House door beginning on Monday, November 4th, 1940, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. and continuing from day to day as indicated by the following publication, by the undersigned according to law. The lands or lots are to be sold under the descriptions as listed, and the amounts as shown due for each year represents the total amount of taxes, interest, and costs including the cost of this sale, and the certificate will be issued covering as much of said lands and lots as is necessary to discharge the total taxes, interest and charges which are due thereon at the time of sale. The lands to be offered are as follows:

SIKES THIRD (3rd) ADDITION

Lots (1) One (2) Two and (3) Three Block (5) Five. Years 1935 $3.57; 1936 $3.37; 1937 $3.17; 1938 $3.19; 1939 $2.98 Total $16.28.

McCOY & TANNER FIFTH (5th) ADDITION

Lot (12) Twelve & north (½) half (13) Thirteen Block (24) Twenty-four. Years 1935 $9.18; 1936 $8.61; 1937 $8.04; 1938 $8.09; 1939 $7.46; Total $41.38.

FRISCO ADDITION

Lots (16) Sixteen & (17) Seventeen Block (10) Ten. Years 1935 $2.58; 1936 $2.45; 1937 $2.32; 1938 $2.33; 1939 $2.19; Total $11.87.

Lots (18) Eighteen & (19) Nineteen Block (10) Ten. Years 1935 $2.58; 1936 $2.45; 1937 $2.32; 1938 $2.33; 1939 $2.19; Total $11.87.

SUNSET ADDITION

Lot (3) Three Block (3) Three. Years 1935 $1.26; 1936 $1.22; 1937 $1.18; 1938 $1.18; 1939; $1.13; Total $5.97.

Lot (14) Fourteen Block (4) Four. Years 1935 $1.59; 1936 $1.52; 1937 $1.46; 1938 $1.47; 1939 $1.40; Total $7.44.

Lots (13) Thirteen & (14) Fourteen Block (6) Six. Years 1935 $1.92; 1937 $1.75; 1938 $1.75; 1939 $1.66; Total $7.08.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ADDITION

Lot (8) Eight Block (12) Twelve. Years 1935 $1.26; 1936 $1.22; 1937 $1.17; 1938 $1.18; 1939 $1.13; Total $5.96.

OUT LOTS

North (102 ft) One hundred & Two ft. off of Lot (1) One out block (9) Nine City of Sikeston, Mo.

I, J. W. Mathis, City Collector of the City of Sikeston, Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct list of lands or lots that will be offered for sale as above set forth.

Dated at Sikeston, Missouri, this 3rd day of October, 1940.

Signed: J. W. MATHIS,
(SEAL) City Collector.

9-8-10

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received in the office of the City Clerk in Sikeston, Missouri, up to 5 o'clock p. m. on Monday the 21st day of October, 1940, for the furnishing all of the material, equipment and labor in connection with the work of paving with asphaltic concrete, together with a lip-type concrete curb and gutter on both sides of said pavement, that portion of the roadway of Kathleen Avenue from the east line of South Scott Street to the west line of South New Madrid Street, according to the plans and specifications on file in my office at the City Hall. Said work to be let as a whole and not sub-divided. Pavement to be constructed is approximately 438 feet in length and approximately 21 feet wide between curbs.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. C. Barrett, City Clerk.

8-10.

NOTICE RE TELEPHONE LINES ON STATE HIGHWAY

CASE NO. 10-27

WHEREAS, the undersigned has applied to the State Highway Commission of Missouri for permission to erect and maintain a certain telephone line upon and along State Highway No. 61 in Scott County, Missouri, between points more particularly described as follows: Morley Spur, Station 855-47 South and on the West side to Station 921-75, a total distance of approximately 1.25 miles.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at 10:00 A. M. in the office of S. M. Rudder, Ass't Chief Engineer in the City of Jefferson City, County of Cole Missouri, on the 19th day of October, 1940, a hearing will be had upon said application, at which time and place any person who might be interested in the matter of the location of said line and matters incidental thereto, will be given an opportunity to be heard thereon, and that on or prior to said date any such person may file with said Commission objections or suggestions, in writing regarding such matters.

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8-10.

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News of the Town

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter.—Phone 761W

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stone and daughter, Peggy Ann of Buffalo, N. Y., arrived last Friday to visit Mrs. Stone's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mitchell and other relatives in and near Sikeston. Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Stone and their daughter shared honors with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Daniel and daughter of Cairo, Ill., at a weiner roast north of town. Others in the party were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Melford Taylor and children. Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Melford Taylor entertained Mr. and Mrs. Stone, their daughter, Peggy Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mitchell at dinner.

Remember we serve Hickory Wood Pit Barbecue Ribs daily. Nall's Country Club Cafe.

Mrs. J. H. Draughon returned to her home in Memphis, Tenn., Sunday after spending a week here in the home of her son, Harris Draughon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elfrank, Jr., moved to Hayti to live. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elfrank, Sr., of Lutesville were guests of their son and daughter-in-law in Sikeston.

Mrs. Chris Francis, Mrs. A. C. Etzel and Mrs. Herbert Francis were in Cape Girardeau Monday.

Steak Dinners our Specialty. Nall's Country Club Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stevens and children, Martha, Janet and Frank were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller in Cape Girardeau Sunday.

Mrs. B. F. Marshall, Sr., entertained Mrs. F. D. Lair, Mrs. G. W. Reid of Decatur, Ill., and Mrs. Barney Wagner at luncheon at the Marquette Hotel in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Sims, Mr. and Mrs. John Benegonia and Bill Dickerson of Murphysboro, Ill., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stearns Sunday.

October is Donut Month, don't miss Welter's Bake Shop specials on Cake and Glazed Donuts fresh 3 times daily.

Large selection of novelty pottery, also practical gifts for bridge prizes. Woehlecke, The Florist. Phone 501.

Leo Fisher went to St. Louis Thursday and will be accompanied home this Friday by his mother, Mrs. Fisher of Sullivan, Mo., who will visit in his home. Mrs. Leo Fisher and son, Leo III, who have spent the past two weeks in Carthage, Mo., also are expected home this Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Marsh and son, William, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mainord in East Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pinnell, Jr., visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Edgar Rodeck in Johnson City, Ill. last week end.

Don't forget our Crappie Fish Dinners. Nall's Country Club Cafe.

The Jolly Twelve Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Louis Farris. The next meeting will be held in November with Mrs. W. W. Lankford.

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October is Donut Month, don't miss Welter's Bake Shop specials on Cake and Glazed Donuts fresh 3 times daily.

Mrs. Clay Mitchell, son, Charles, and nephew, Val Sharp spent Monday in Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. William Corrigan and son are visiting her aunt, Miss Nell Sullivan in St. Louis.

Mrs. Roger Bailey, member of the state committee of the Republican party, Mrs. Eral Malone, committeewoman for Richland Township, and Mrs. W. T. Shanks attended a luncheon and meeting of Republican women at the Marquette Hotel in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Remember we serve Hickory Wood Pit Barbecue Ribs daily. Nall's Country Club Cafe.

Mrs. C. E. Felker, Sr., had as luncheon guests Thursday, Mrs. H. E. Dudley, Mrs. Albert Stepp of New Madrid, Mrs. Earl Malone, Mrs. H. G. Sharp and Mrs. Earl Johnson.

Mrs. Paul Brewer and Miss Lucille Stubblefield attended the U. S. Navy Band concert in Kennett Tuesday night.

Mrs. Louis Graber spent Thursday and Friday in St. Louis.

John Watts of Koshkonong and Miss Almeda Watts of Spring Valley near Fredericktown, will spend this week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hollenbeck and daughter, Ann, visited relatives in Eldon and Vienna last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Taylor of Shelbyville, Mo., are visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dan E. Taylor.

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Mrs. Georgia Donnell, daughters, Misses Betty Belle and Mary Emma, and son, Bill, will spend this week end in Columbia, Mo., with Miss Peggy Donnell, a student at the university there. Mrs. Donnell and her son will go from there to Mt. Ayr, Ia., to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Renner and their two children.

Murray Klein and Loomis Mayfield left this Friday morning to spend the week end with their sons, Jean Klein and Loomis Mayfield, Jr., who are students at the university there. They will be guests of their sons at events given by Phi Delta Pheta fraternity in honor of fathers of the members. Sayers Tanner will join them there Saturday and be the guest of his son, Charles, a member of the fraternity.

Steak Dinners our Specialty. Nall's Country Club Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Tatum spent last week end in Memphis, Tenn., as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Higgenbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Taylor and children and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Taylor of Shelbyville, Mo., will be guests of Mrs. Dora Eugas in Jackson Sunday.

Don Renner went to Mt. Ayr, Ia., Wednesday to spend several days the guest of his brother, W. P. Renner and family.

Carl Roeder of Indianola, Ia., was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whittle Tuesday night.

Miss Elizabeth Schulte of Farmington will spend this week end as the guest of Mrs. Paul Brewer.

A pot-luck supper given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fowler prior to the football game Friday evening was participated in by the following couples, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Knupp, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Thorgmorton, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Whittle, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mattingly and Dr. and Mrs. Edgar Belden.

Merritt Beck, Jr., will spend this week end in Centralia, Mo., as the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. E. Ausmus and her family. He will be accompanied home by another sister, Mrs. Robert Mow, Jr., and son, Bobby, who visited there the past week.

Woman Killed by Car Crossing Road

Mrs. Opal Richardson, 20, of Ridgely, Tenn., was killed last Tuesday when she was struck by an automobile as she stepped out from behind a truck parked on a road south of East Prairie. She and her husband, Ancell Richardson, had just finished picking cotton for the day.

The car was driven by Frank Hutchinson of East Prairie. Mrs. Richardson had a 15-month-old son.

The difference between any two-digit number and the number formed by reversing the digits always is divisible by nine.

Registration Sidelights

Everybody seemed to take the registration in a good-natured way. There was plenty of banter at the polls about who would be next to shoulder a musket. A few seemed a trifle uncertain about the whole procedure, and there were reports, none confirmed, that one or two uninformed fellows thought they were joining the army. Not yet.

The registration scene here Wednesday morning ran pretty much like the voting on an election day. A large number of eligibles appeared at the four polling places between 7 and 8 a. m., then the number tapered off to a steady flow, keeping practically all of the clerks busy but not pressing them.

Many business firms permitted their employes to register during the regular work hours, having a few of them at a time go to the polls.

It was surprising to some registrants when they encountered friends at the poling places who were thought to be over 35 years, but who were younger.

The distinction of being the first to register in the city went to Assistant Chief of Police Harold Wallace in Ward 1, Frank England in Ward 2, Jack Waggoner in Ward 4, while in Ward 3 the first-hour crowd starting at seven o'clock caused such a rush the first registrant was not recalled.

A clerk enrolling a negro came to the question if the registrant had any obvious physical characteristics. "Yas suh," said the man. "Dis heah scar on my arm and two kids."

The process at the local polls was unusually efficient. Advance reports indicated the procedure would be a long-drawn-out affair, estimating 30 to 35 minutes per person. Long queues of waiting applicants were visualized. However, once the clerks got into the swing, five minutes was ample in many cases to fill out both the registration card and certificate.

The young women of Sikeston formed a large part of the clerical staffs. Due to these volunteer workers, the number of clerks was greater than it would have been if only election judges and clerks were available.

Rites Thursday For Geo. Bridges

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Charleston for George Bridges, Mississippi County prosecuting attorney and Democratic leader who was killed Sunday night in an automobile crash near Bertrand.

Rev. Broderson, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. A. B. Cooper, were in charge.

Interment with the Masonic rites took place in the I. O. O. F. Cemetery there.

Paulbearers were Conly Purcell and Franklin Moore, of Sikeston, Oliver Goodin, Russell Goodin, Woodrow Simmons, Lon Moore, Richard Berry and Geo. Marable, of Charleston.

Mrs. Barney Wagner was hostess at a Rook Party in her home Thursday night.

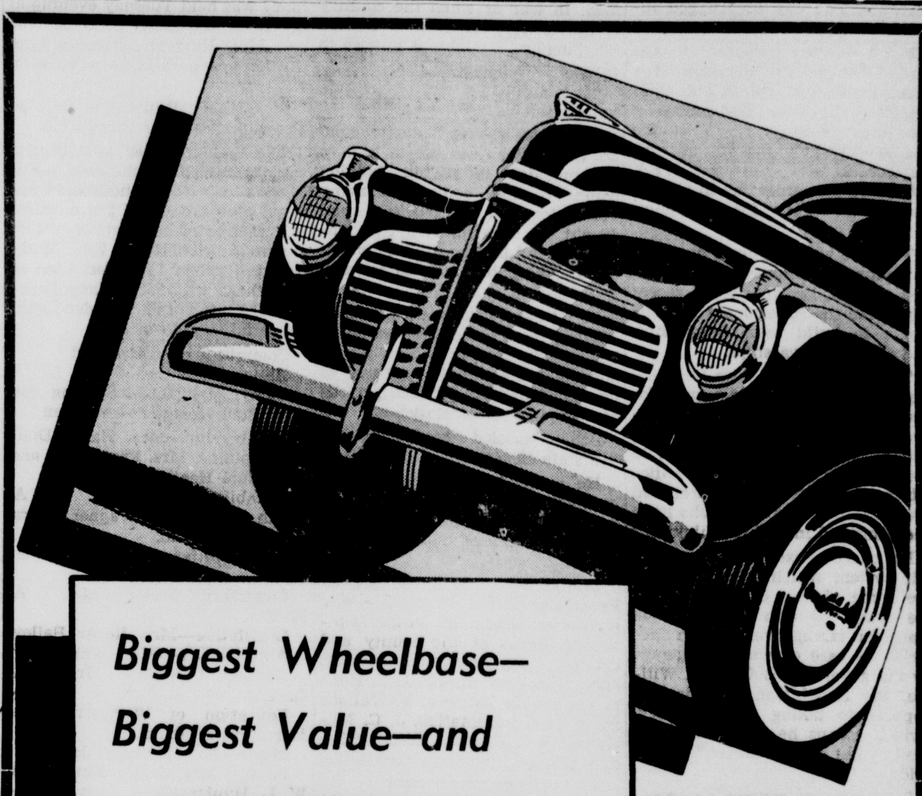
Daniel Malone and Judson Boardman, Jr., attended the concert given by the U. S. Navy Band in Kennett Tuesday night.

Receives Pass To Execution

A pass was received Wednesday by C. L. Blanton, Sr., editor of The Standard, to be present at the execution of Oscar Ashworth, convict of St. Joseph, at the Jefferson City penitentiary at 12:01 a. m. Friday, Oct. 25. The pass was issued by Warden Tom Scott, who is from Scott County. However, Mr. Blanton does not intend to attend.

Ashworth was convicted of criminally attacking a young girl and will be executed in the state's gas chamber.

Mrs. Caleb Smith went to St. Louis Wednesday for a two-weeks visit with her daughters, Mrs Harry L. Sparks and Miss Clark Smith.



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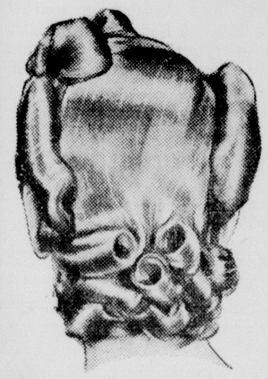

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Dwight Brown

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of unemployment, and that the blind, aged and others with dependents were not haunted by the possibility of losing the person who supported them and becoming destitute. The day of "rugged individualism" is over, he declared.

Many wealthy persons in the United States had shown a fine example of stewardship with their employes, he said. But many of the upper class are against the "made-work" program of the Democrats, who chose the WPA, PWA and like programs in preference to the "dole" for the unemployed.

To those who complain the present preparedness program is not fast enough, Brown cited a recent day when the government let contracts to build seven battleships and 129 lesser warships.

"The thing to do is to write an insurance policy against war for you women—the wives, sweethearts, daughters, mothers and friends of those who would go to war," he declared. "Apostate dictators do not attack prepared countries, but only those who have been engaged in wishful thinking."

He characterized the draft a fair system which gave everyone the same chance of getting into the army. He also approved the plans for taking over certain factories, in case of war emergency, by the government. Wendell Willkie, the Republican candidate is opposed to taking the factory, "which means he favors drafting the boy but not the dollar," Brown said.

Some persons contend the present defense program is not necessary, he said. The Atlantic Ocean is not three thousand miles wide now but only a matter of flying hours, he said. He related how Vera Cruz, Mexico, is only 2½ flying hours for bombing plans to St. Louis. Mentioning the vast resources of this country, he declared the resources in themselves were not enough for defense, pointing out how mighty China was being subjected by tiny but thoroughly prepared Japan.

Brown turned back to George Washington to discuss the third term issue. The First President was a member of the Constitutional Convention, and in a letter to General LaFayette he mentioned his opposition to a move to limit the terms of a president, Brown said. In war or when the country is facing war, the speaker quoted Washington, it might be unwise to change presidents.

"It is not an issue of precedents, but presidents," Brown said.

The Secretary of State touched on Willkie by referring to him as the president of a big holding company that controlled many vast electrical enterprises, had fought the government's TVA enterprise and had boasted he wanted to make public utilities privately owned.

The New Deal's method of stabilizing farm prices was called a boon to the farmer and an assurance that they would continue to be adjusted during future periods of economic uncertainty.

Brown extoled candidates on the state ticket.

He recalled that he was born in Scott County, was now a resident of Poplar Bluff and was a fellow-resident of Southeast Missouri.

The speaker was introduced by Prosecutor David Blanton, who mentioned candidates on the Democratic ticket of the county and district, Lynn Ancell for assessor, John Hobbs for sheriff, T. F. Henry for county judge, J. S. Wallace for state representative, J. C. McDowell for Circuit Court judge and Walter Hughes for constable.

Conservation Agents made 97 arrests for violations of the Missouri Wildlife and Forestry Code during the month of August. The arrests were classified as follows: Improper license or none at all, 38; disregard of closed season, 5; disregard of bag, creel or length limits, 14; improper methods of taking fish and game, 32; serving, storing or selling fish and game, 1; miscellaneous, 7.

Auxiliary Committee Heads Named

The first meeting of the new year of the American Legion Auxiliary was held Tuesday evening at the Rock Inn. Mrs. C. L. Malone and Mrs. Kathryn Johnson were the hostesses. A large attendance was present.

Mrs. H. D. Bashore announced her committees for this year.

The regular order of business was conducted by the new president, and a social hour was enjoyed at the close of the meeting.

It was voted to start the future meetings promptly at 7:30. Members are asked to be on time so that there will not be any interruptions after the president calls the Auxiliary to order.

Committee chairmen are:

Junior Activities—Mrs. L. J. Langley, Mrs. S. L. Shilling and Mrs. Burl Heath, co-chairmen.

Membership—Mrs. Harry Dudley; captains, Mrs. Frank Dye and Mrs. Burl Heath.

Rehabilitation — Mrs. W. A. Smith, Mrs. Roy Wagner, Mrs. Loomis Mayfield.

Child Welfare — Mrs. Tanner Dye.

Community Service—Mrs. T. A. Martin.

Legislative—Mrs. Roger Bailey.

Americanism—Mrs. Wm. Foley.

National Defense — Mrs. Alva Garner.

Education of War Orphans—Mrs. Paul Slinkard.

Music—Mrs. Kathryn Johnson.

Poppy—Mrs. James Kevil, Mrs. W. L. Hunters, Mrs. Jean Hirschberg, Mrs. Robley Lennox.

Finance—Mrs. Ben Welter and Mrs. C. C. Cummins.

Flowers, gifts, hospital — Mrs. W. P. Wilkerson.

Sympathy—Mrs. W. A. Anthony.

Red Cross Reporter—Mrs. Lyle Malone.

Publicity—Standard, Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr.; Herald, Mrs. Tanner Dye.

Entertainment—Mrs. Ben Matthews, Mrs. Earl Malone, Mrs. Frank Dye.

Parliamentarian — Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr.

National News—Mrs. R. L. Proffer.

Radio—Mrs. W. O. Carroll.

Employment—Mrs. Roy Wagner.

Trophies and Awards—Mrs. G. M. Harrison.

Calling Committee — Mrs. Geo. Lufcy, Mrs. Jas. L. Veneable.

Constitution and By-laws—Mrs. B. B. Tatum, Mrs. W. P. Wilkerson, Mrs. M. E. Montgomery.

Hostess Reporter—Mrs. W. C. Holly.

Legionette Reporter — Mrs. Kathryn Johnson.

Hospitality—Mrs. J. W. Foley, Mrs. Harry Dudley, Mrs. W. O. Carroll.

YOUTH ITNO CUSTODY FOR ARKANSAS OFFICERS

Otis Cravens, 21, was taken into custody on the streets here Wednesday by the State Patrol and City Police at the request of Sheriff Dan McCloud of Piggot, Ark., who said a charge of grand larceny had been filed there against Cravens. Cravens was placed in the city jail pending arrival of Arkansas officers.

Redman, 19, enlisted at the St. Petersburg station Sept. 15, 1939. A native of Decatur, Ill., he came to St. Petersburg 14 years ago.

DIEHLSTADT NEWS

Mrs. Brian Lane has been confined to her bed for the past week with an attack of asthma.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans entertained relatives from Bloomfield Sunday.

The mother of Mrs. Linsay Maynard is visiting her from Lllinois this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bowden, their son, Warren, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kizer of East Prairie visited at the J. D. Gage home Sunday. They formerly lived here.

Rev. Smith of Cape Girardeau preached two fine sermons Sunday at the Baptist Church. There were 78 in Sunday school.

The Misses Nellie and Mary Vanita Morgan and brother, Warren, visited Miss Lois Gage Sunday and they all drove to Sikeston, where they enjoyed themselves for a while at the skating rink.

Our school is getting along nicely now, since the bus drivers strike. Each bus has a new driver, and the lunch room that was added to help finance the senior trip in the spring, is certainly doing lots of business.

Mrs. L. Maynard and children visited her sister of near Anniston, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hornback entertained a number of friends and relatives Sunday, the occasion being their son's birth anniversary.

Mrs. Joe Bush, who has been quite sick, is now improving.

Miss Florence Kirkpatrick, twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kirkpatrick, and Tom Farrell were married in Charleston Sunday.

Tom Maynard moved from near here, Tuesday, to a place near Boardman.

Everybody around here has been very busy trying to get their cotton picked. But had to stay out one-half day Tuesday on account of the rain we had Monday night. Most everyone's cotton is late around here, due to the late cold spring we had.

Rev. Taylor to Pastorate Again

Rev. John L. Taylor was returned to the Sikeston Methodist Church in the annual conference which closed Monday at Jefferson City.

Other appointments for the Cape Girardeau district included: Chaffee, J. B. Jordan; Charleston, J. C. Montgomery; Commerce, L. J. Collins; Fornfelt, M. A. Massey; Illmo, Fred Armstrong; Kewaneé Circuit, Nelson Morgan; Lilbourn, H. L. Wagner; Matthews Circuit, R. P. Basler; Morehouse, Marvin T. Haw; Morley-Vanduser, H. M. Andrews; New Madrid, R. A. Brooks; Oran, George Hasler.

Jurors, Alternates Chosen for November Court

Regular jurors drawn in County Court at Benton and certified for the November term of Circuit Court are:

Richland Township — Vance Montgomery, Harrison Tanner, Thomas Holderby, Ed Kendall, Leslie Rister, C. C. Scott and Edward Swan.

Kelso Township—Otto Weidefield, Paul Montgomery, Ralph Stevens, Louis Robert, Fred Bisplinghoff, W. H. Castleman and Henry Hahn.

Sylvania Township — Herman hogne, W. W. Hooker and Arnold Stehr.

Moreland Township — Herman Kirnberger and W. C. Cannon.

Sandywoods Township—George Pearman.

Commerce Township—William Scherer.

Morley Township—Whit Moody and Jim Mack Emerson.

Tywappity Township — L. D. Rhodes.

Alternates for the same term are:

Richland Township—Paul Brewer, R. T. Hopper, Cyrus Marshall, P. A. McDougal, Vernon Kelley, Frank Fadler and Ernest Hedden.

Kelso Township—Charles Scott, William Proffer, J. E. Dunnegan, Joe Essner, L. W. Felden, Fred Eifert and Joe Schaefer.

Sylvania Township—Leon Stone, Joe Hahn and Otto Perdue.

Moreland Township — William LeGrand and Joe Pfefferkorn.

Sandywoods Township—J. F. Nunnelee.

Commerce Township — C. M. Beardslee.

Morley Township—Lee Cannon and Elmer Irvin.

Tywappity Township — W. E. Brazell.

Scouts Conduct Court of Honor

In the Boy Scout Court of Honor last week at the Library last week, the following program took place:

Assembly, bugler of Troop 42; word of welcome, Tharon Stallings; pledge of allegiance. led by Charles Yanson; song, "America", led by Wilbur Ensor; institution of Cub Pack 41, Field Executive Harold Nootz; presentation of Red Cross life-saving awards, Wilbur Ensor; Boy Scout awards, Mr. Stallings in charge; tenderfoot investiture ceremony for Troop 42; taps, bugler of Troop 42.

Awards were made as follows: Life badges, J. E. Butler and C. D. Butler, presented by C. H. Butler; star badges, J. W. Little, presented by Fred Cooley, and Jackie Foster, presented by Pete Foster; first class, John R. Ensor, presented by Robert Struwe, scoutmaster of Troop 42; junior Red Cross life-saving, John R. Ensor, J. W. Little and Leonard Kindred; senior Red Cross life-saving, Norman Jonas, J. E. Butler and C. D. Butler; tenderfoot Scouts, Billy Matthews, Argel Kellett, Jimmy Sexton and Harry Hambrick.

Sikeston General Hospital

A son weighing nine pounds was born at 4:30 o'clock Thursday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Woods. The child is the first boy born in the hospital. Two girls already have been born there.

Joseph Matthews, who has been recuperating from a cold, was dismissed Thursday morning.

Mrs. Everett Helms and infant daughter, Beverly Kay, of the Big Opening community, were discharged Tuesday.

Mrs. Pauline Rankin was brought to the hospital Tuesday in the Albritton ambulance for treatment.

Mrs. Pearl McRoy of Matthews Rt. 1 was admitted Wednesday for a minor operation.

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FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE REGISTRATION DAY OCTOBER 16

The P. C. Editor Says:

There is a double cross some where down the line as to cotton picking labor. The FSA here in Sikeston has given out information that cotton pickers are not needed in Southeast Missouri and Tuesday morning The Standard printed bills advertising for cotton pickers to operate on 5,000 acres. Last cotton picking season Mexican labor was brought in to pick cotton but had to be sent back to the Rio Grand Valley from whence they came because they were not wanted by local labor who were unfit or would not enter the fields in sufficient number to gather the cotton when it was ready. We don't like this sort of information put out from Sikeston when cotton pickers are badly needed.

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Should Mr. Willkie be elected President on November 5 and he should see proper after he is inaugurated to cut out the Agricultural Assistance and permit every farmer in every section of the United States to plant and grow every acre on his farm, prices would fall to the zero mark of the Hoover reign. If Roosevelt is re-elected conditions under which the farmer is now laboring would continue and he would receive fair prices for what he has to sell. That is the proposition, take it or leave it.

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Some complaints have come to the office from subscribers living in flats or apartments that others living there but do not subscribe for the Standard but who take the paper to their apartment, read it, then leave it where they found it, but wrinkled and rumpled up. This is displeasing to the subscriber and likewise unsatisfactory to The Standard management.

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Hon. Lawrence McDaniel, candidate for Governor of Missouri on the Democratic ticket, will speak in the Court House at Kennett at 2:00 p. m. Wednesday, October 23. He is a good speaker and will present the issues of the present campaign in a clear and convincing manner.

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Albert O. Allen, postmaster at New Madrid and former editor of the New Madrid Record, was a visitor in The Standard office Tuesday afternoon. He was on his way from Cape Girardeau where he had been a witness in Federal Court.

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Well, when the draft hits The Standard ofice it will take from our force Ed Edelin, reporter; R. W. Schwieter and Clyde Collie, linotype operators; Cletus Sheli, pressman and printer, Bill Gardner, printer; and I. A. Myers, circulation manager. This will leave with us O. E. Lathom, ex-linotype operator and printer; C. L. Blanton, Sr., ex-linotype operator, printer and editor; C. L. Blanton, Jr., advertising solicitor and printer; C. M. Harris, advertising solicitor and printer; John Lathom, pressman and printer; Mrs. Lill Kendall, reporter and collector; Mrs. I. A. Myers, assistant circulation manager; and Miss Vernetta Smith, bookkeeper and front office manager.

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One of The Standard employees had a funny experience recently. A bum hit him on the street for the price to buy a drink. The bum was told that he was fixing to be asked for the price of a drink. The bum told him to wait right where he was and he would make the round of the block and try to bum the price of two drinks and would come back for him. He hasn't returned at this writing.

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On its editorial page last Friday the Globe-Democrat carried the following paragraph: "The New Deal is getting ready to torpedo the national defense program by encourging a wave of strikes and disputes which cannot but retard the production of war weapons needed immediately by Britian and the United States Army and Namy." This, of course, is a falsehood of the most shocking sort. The Globe-Democrat knew it was a falsehood. Every Globe-Democrat reader knew it was untrue. The next New Deal law should be one providing severe penalities for any publisher who deliberately and with malice aforethought publishes what he knows to be false, harmful and misleading. But law or no law, such abuses of its freedom brings upon the Millionaire Press its own punishment. It utterly destroys the influence our metropolitan newspapers otherwise would have. Only by telling the truth can the Press have power.—Paris Appeal.

September Work In New Madrid Extension Cited

A summary of New Madrid County Extension Activities as reported by the agents for September is given in the following paragraphs:

4-H CLUB WORK

Community 4-H Club with 47 memmbers, and four leaders supervising five projects was organized at LaForge on September 12. Two clubs with a total of 14 members, and Mrs. Ruby Blyze as leader were formed at Henderson Mound on September 10.

MATTRESS MAKING

This project which was brought to a close early in September resulted in the making of 1092 mattresses for white families and 497 for colored families. Mattress making for colored, under supervision of Mrs. L. J. Morrissey, is still in progress.

FOODS

A training school for Home Economics food leaders, attended by seventeen, was followed by eight meetings, held by these women in their respective communities.

RECREATION

The Canalou Home Economics Club entertained more than 100 guests including husbands, teachers, and friends, at its annual picnic on September 5, at Caverno's grove.

RURAL ELECTRIFICATION

Demonstrations on arranging kitchen equipment before 250 women, and on use of electricity in farm operations with 40 men present, were supervised by the local home demonstration agent and County Agent at the REA Show, at Applegate's farm, September 27.

SOIL IMPROVEMENT

Eight farmers had twenty three samples of soil tested during September for lime need. Most of the tests showed a lime requirement of 5000 to 7000 pounds per acre.

HOG DISEASE

Twenty-four men used 33,050 C. C. of anti-hog cholera serum, 1060 C. C. of virus, and 285 doses of swine plague serum during September, according to records in the extension office.

SEED IMPROVEMENT

Sixteen New Madrid County farmers, the largest delegation from any county, attended the Sikeston experiment field meeting on September 18, to inspect cotton variety, soybeans and hybrid corn experiments.

Twenty eight men were present at the hybrid corn demonstration meetings at Guy Calvin's and Ott Burnett's farms on October 1. Results of the tests on 48 hybrid varieties will be published later this fall.

Harold Sloas and B. B. Ferrest on A. W. Hemberger's farm will demonstrate use of fertilizer (150 to 200 pound per acre) on wheat during the 1941 growing season.

Can't Help Effort To Restore Game Laws, Stark Says

Jefferson City, Oct. 14.—Gov. Lloyd C. Stark said today that investigation failed to reveal any legal authority by which he could stop the progress of the initiated proposal to restore the state game and fish laws.

The Missouri Taxpayers' Association had asked Stark to halt advertisement of the lengthy proposal sponsored by former State Senator A. L. McCawley of Carthage and which will be on the November 5 general election ballot.

Stark praised the conservation system operating under a constitutional amendment adopted in 1936, and added:

"I regret to see any attack made on it, directly or indirectly, but at the same time I fail to see any authority in this specific instance for any action by the governor."

He said conservation matters "should be kept out of politics."

McCawley's proposal is costing the state thousands of dollars to advertise it in every county.

D. A. R. Holds Jubilee Meeting

As this is the fiftieth anniversary of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, King's Highway Chapter celebrated its Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kate Harris with a Golden Jubilee party. Mrs. A. J. Renner gave a brief history of the founding and sketches of the founders of the Daughters of the American Resolution. She told about Miss Mary Desha, Miss Eugenia Washington, Mrs. Ellen Hardin Walworth, and Mrs. Mary S. Lockwood meeting in Washington, D. C., and deciding that the Society should be national in scope. Mrs. Caroline Scott Harrison, the wife of the President of the United States, was made the first President General.

During a short business session reports of Committees were given and plans for going to the regional meeting to be held in Jackson, Nov. 2, were discussed. The State meeting to be held the last of October in Springfield, Mo., was also discussed.

The meeting adjourned for a social hour during which the members and visitors discussed how they had spent their vacations. Mrs. Harold W. Russell and Mrs. W. W. Kingsbury were guests.

DRIVING FINE GROWING OUT OF COLLISION

Charged with careless and recklessness driving growing out of an automobile collision Saturday night north of the city, Archie Garner of Matthews was fined $50 and costs Wednesday morning in a hearing before Justice Brown Jewell.

MISS VELMA PAYNE AND LEE PRICE MARRIED

Miss Velma Payne, daughter of Mrs. Lola Payne of Salcedo, and Lee Price, son of G. W. Price of Sikeston, were married Saturday night, October 12, by the Rev. J. T. Self at his home north of Sikeston. They were attended by the bride's brother-in-law sister, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Turley, also of Salcedo.

The couple will reside near Salcedo where Mr. Price is engaged in farming.

Theatrical World Lured Dusty Roades To Dance Band Job

Dusty Roades, who is bringing has band here Saturday night for the Junior Chamber of Commerce Harvest Ball at the armory, came almost being a railroad man, but his employer booted him back into the theatrical world.

The orchestra was born at Miamisburg, Ohio. His father, Bill Roades, was a minstrel man who had gone out with Al G. Fields when the latter started from nearby Columbus.

His father had not wanted him to be in show business. He got him a job in a railroad office, but the lure of the theatrical world was too strong. Young Roades dabbled in minstrels and other entertainments at night and soon his boss thought he was paying more attention to entertainment than he was to his ledgers.

Roades left by request and got another job. It was the same routine. Too many amateur shows on the side. One night in Anderson, Ohio, he was helping with a show. The drummer failed to show up and Dusty was pressed into service. It was the first time he had fooled around with the trap and when he felt unable to negotiate a difficult passage he broke into song. This novelty of a singing drummer was a sensational success.

That experience determined Dusty to quit the business world and become an orchestra leader. He organized a small group which included "Red" Nichols. The band was called The Syncopated Five. Shortly after that he and the boys joined Paul Whiteman who had formed a band for the initial crossing of the S. S. Levithan.

When they returned, the steamship company asked Whiteman to form a unit for vaudeville and call it Paul Whiteman's Levithan Band. Roades, Nichols and the others toured with Whiteman for several months, then Roades returned to Columbus and organized one of his own. Ted Weems came along and liked the style and engaged the whole organization, including Roades. He was three years with Weems, then became ill and went home to recuperate.

Later he joined Ted Fio Rito's band and after was with Charlie Agnew. After five years he decided to go it on his own. He formed his orchestra in 1935 and played at locations such as the Muehlback Hotel in Kansas City, Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago, Jefferson Hotel in St. Louis, Schroeder Hotel in Milwaukee and the Plantation Club in Dallas.

For specialty numbers he has the beautiful songstress, Helen Nash; Emory Hammer, male vocalist; Johnnie Cassella, harmonica specialist, and those harmony blenders, The Four Dusters.

Dancing will be from 10 p. m. to 2 a. m. Table reservations may be obtained by calling Dr. W. M. Sidwell.

SONGBIRD

HELEN NASH

Helen Nash, pretty songstress, who provides part of the special entertainment that goes with Dusty Roades' orchestra. The band is playing for the Junior Chamber of Commerce Harvest Ball Saturday night at the armory.

Tom Mix Killed In Auto Wreck

Florence, Ariz., October 12.—Tom Mix, who starred as a horseman in the silent films and in circuses, was killed today when his automobile overturned on a detour 18 miles south of here.

Mix, traveling alone on his way to Phoenix, Ariz., was pinned under the machine on a detour skirting a road construction job. He was dead when two highway employes discovered the overturned car. The body was brought here.

As the colorful star of scores of silent Western thrillers, Mix was the idol of millions of young Americans. In recent years he has been the featured performer in circus-riding exhibitions.

Coroner E. O. Devine said Mix apparently was killed instantly. There will be no inquest.

Investigators here said they understood he was serving as an advance agent for a circus.

Mix was carrying $6000 in cash and also had several valuable diamonds on his person, police investigators said.

Mix was a native of El Paso County, Tex. He worked as a cowboy in Texas, Arizona, Wyoming and Montana and won national riding and roping contests at Prescott, Ariz., and Canon City, Colo., in 1909 and 1910.

During the years when he was identified with pictures Mix always was cast as a hard-riding, guntoting hero out to thwart unlawful acts in the days of the Wild West.

In recent years he has appeared in Wild West circus shows and for a time operated his own circus, the Tom Mix Wild West Show. He also made frequent vaudeville tours and in 1938 and 1939 made personal appearances in Europe.

Madrid Extension Agents Announce Program for 1941

Extension activities for 1941, as approved by a county-wide committee made up of Farm Bureau executive committee members, representatives of the Home Economics Clubs, and 4-H clubs leaders have been announced by the extension agent of New Madrid County to include the following:

1. Increasing the farm cash income by (a) using seed of adapted varieties, (b) improving hog production through sanitation and better feeding methods, (c) improving the breeding and feeding of cattle, (d) controlling field and garden insects, (e) controlling weeds, especially Johnson grass, (f) maintaining and increasing soil fertility.

2. Reduction of cash expenses on the farm and in the home by—(a) living at home, better gardens, preserving foods, preparing foods, clothing construction, farm flock poultry enterprises, etc., (b) providing more storage space in homes and on the farm, (c) better housing, sanitation, and home beautification, (d) better diets, more use of milk, (e) attention to a health program.

3. Building a more satisfying farm and home life by (a) a more effective program for rural youth, including 4-H club work, (b) expansion of women's club enrollment, (c) providing better recreational and social advantages for farm people, (d) providing more comfortable farm homes.

4. Administration of the program by (a) developing a strong sponsoring organization, (b) a county council of Home Economics Extension Clubs, (c) monthly, quarterly and annual meetings of sponsoring organizations.

In 1939 and again this year extension work for the succeeding year was planned on the basis of problems and needs as determined from conditions existing within the county. In succeeding issues of county papers, the situation statement, approved by the county committee will be published.

1000 Ships Sunk Since War Started

New York, October 12. — One thousand merchant and naval ships aggregating 3,574,695 tons have been destroyed since the war began slightly more than 13 months ago, a survey by the Associated Press showed today.

The list of sinkings, which contains only verified reports of losses, shows that England lost 436 ships against 95 for Germany. Norway stood highest on the list of neutrals with a loss of 103 vessels.

Loss in lives stood at 7877 men, women and children and 6796 persons have been listed as missing and believed lost.

Cotton Forecast in State Still Above Ten-Year Average

The indicated production of cotton in Missouri this year is 350,000 bales compared with the record 1939 crop of 437,000 bales and the 10-year (1929-38) average of 270,000 bales. The report released by the Federal-State Cooperative Crop Reporting Service pointed out that the indicated production on October 1 was less than one per cnet larger than the September 1 forecast.

While September weather was favorable for some improvement in prospects and for maturing the crop, it is still about two weeks later than average. The proportion of the crop ginned to October 1 was reported at 15 per cent. On the average, 27 per cent of the crop is ginned by that date.

The yield per acre of 428 pounds is three pounds above the September 1 forecast and is the third largest on record. Larger yields per acre were realized in 1938 and 1939.

The indicated total production in the principal cotton producing States was 12,741,000 bales compared with 11,817,000 bales produced in 1939 and the 10-year (1929-38) average of 13,547,000. The indicated production on October 1 was about one half of one per cent below the September 1 forecast.

W.B.A. to Observe 48th Anniversary

At the meeting of the W. B. A. in Odd Fellows' Hall Monday night, Oct. 21, the 48th anniversary of the organization will be observed. Mrs. Dee M. Belch, state field director, will be present for the occasion and Reviews at Marston, Lilbourn, Caruthersville, East Prairie, Chaffee and Morehouse have ben invited to attend the meeting. Tentative plans for degree work have been made.

One Baltimore meat packer has devised hot dogs with zipper: you pull a string, and off comes the frankfurter's jacket.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Observe 58th Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. James Calvert Davis quietly observed their 58th wedding anniversary Tuesday at their home at 203 Ruth Street.

Mr. Davis was born near Anna, Ill., Dec. 29, 1856, the son of Esther and Levi Davis, a Presbyterian minister. His grandfather, Edmund Davis, came to this country from Wales in the year 1800 and settled in North Carolina, where he lived to be 108 years old. Edmund Davis' wife, Anna, lived to be 102.

In 1882, Mr. Davis was married to Anna Winstead, who was born near Cobden, Ill., the daughter of Barbara and William Winstead, a school teacher-farmer. Her grandfather, George Black, was a slave owner, of Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis lived on a farm in Southern Illinois for many years and came to Sikeston in 1911. They have five children living: C. B. Davis, city editor of the Detroit Times; C. E. Davis, superintendent of K. B. Printing Co., Omaha; C. R. Davis, cabinet maker, Chicago; Mrs. J. J. West, Springfield, Ill., and Miss Madge Davis, Sikeston, and have reared a granddaughter, Miss Marjorie McCoy, of Sikeston.

There are 14 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

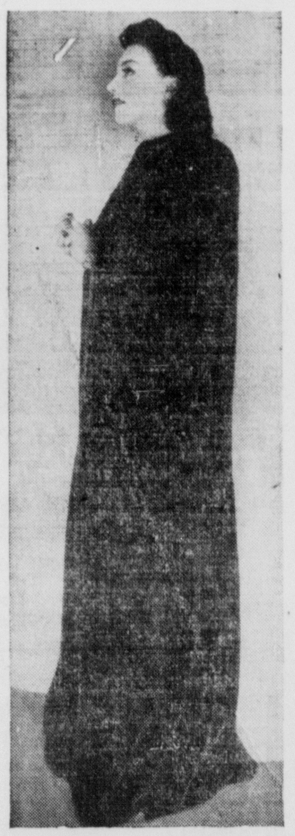
Sentenced on Narcotics Charge

Ennis Powell of Texarkana, Tex., was sentenced to two years in prison on Tuesday in Federal Court at Cape Girardeau on pleading guilty to stealing narcotic prescriptions from the Sikeston physician and forging them to make purchases at Cape Girardeau.

BOOK CLUB

The Book Club will meet at 3:30 Monday afternoon, Oct. 21, at the Library. Mrs. Jas. A. Mocabee will give a travel talk with pictures and piano duets will be played by Mrs. Kendall Sikes and Mrs. Thomas Legan. Mrs. John T. Sikes is president of the club.

★ BAZAAR PREVIEW ★



Joan Crawford, ever smart and lovely, leads the parade in mysterious feminine evening clothes in her graceful De Leo cape of Safari Alaska sealskin, for evening wear.

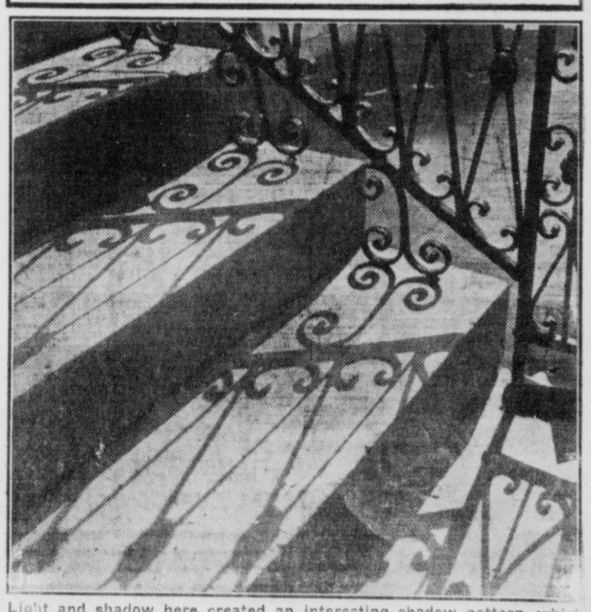
First Picture of the 1941 Pontiacs. A steady stream of 1941 model Pontiacs already is flowing down the production line as Pontiac Motor Division gets away to it searliest and heaviest production schedule. This month 11,700 of the new models will be produced and 24,500 in September, according to Harry J. Klingler, president and general manager of the division. Highway Pontiac Sales is local dealer.

★ FASHION PREVIEW ★

If these two lassies don't seem upset that vacation's over and school's in, maybe it's because of their new dresses . . . The girl on the left is wearing a gingham dress with pinafore ruffles; the one on the right a white cotton broadcloth blouse with suspender skirt.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

PATTERNS WITH YOUR CAMERA



Light and shadow here created an interesting shadow pattern, which repeats the design of the ironwork. Watch for such patterns—they yield fascinating pictures.

Everybody likes an interesting pattern—and there is an endless variety of patterns you can capture with your camera, if you watch for them.

Wherever light shines through something—such as an ornamental window, or railing—there may be a pattern of light and shadow. If shadows repeat the lines of some decorative ironwork, or the outline of a statue or fountain, opportunity exists for a picture. Observe such shadows—choose a position to show both the shadow and the object that creates it—and you'll usually get an interesting shot.

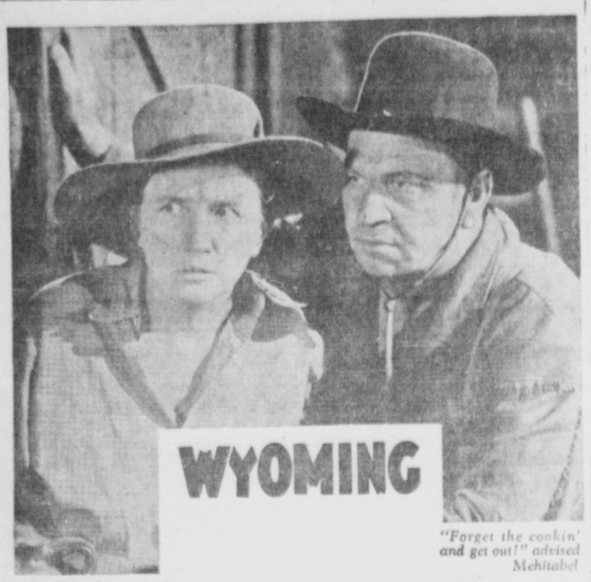
Whenever a number of similar objects are placed together, in a regular arrangement, you'll find patterns. A large tray of apples or oranges in front of the grocery store—stacks of crates or baskets at the market—piles of timber in a lumber yard—all these may yield good pattern effects that invite the attention of your camera.

Shoot a scene through an ornamental fence or window grille—and you have another type of pattern picture. The best type of grille is fairly open, so that it does not cut off too much of the scene. Expose for the distant parts of the view, and do not try to obtain detail in the grille—it is more effective if it appears as a dark outline.

In all these pattern pictures, use as small a lens opening as you can, so as to get a deeper zone of sharpness. If your lens will "stop down" to a very small opening—such a f/22—choose a high speed film for pattern shots and take advantage of the small lens opening.

Whenever you're outdoors on a sunny day, watch for pattern picture opportunities. Look for patterns indoors, too. Natural pattern effects occur everywhere—and pictures of them will lend variety to your collection.

John van Guilder.



"Forget the cookin' and get out!" advised Mehitabel

STORY SO FAR:

Reb Harkness, escaped train robber, takes over the protection of the orphan children of Dave Kincaid, Wyoming rancher who is slain by cattle rustlers working in the interests of John Buckley. Arrested after he has killed three of Buckley's men, Reb is taken to jail where he is aided by Mehitabel, a two-gun woman blacksmith. General Custer investigates Buckley's activities, while his aide, Sergeant Connelly, makes love to Lucy Kincaid.

CHAPTER FOUR

When Buckley discovered that his friends in Laramie had been unable to keep General Custer from engaging a federal judge for Angel City, he summoned his two right-hand men, Curly and Dawson, and instructed them to get every head of stolen cattle across the state border. Then he added his further plans about Reb Harkness.

"If they found him dead in his cell," he whispered, "it wouldn't look good. However, if he tried to escape—"

"Why can't we just say he tried to escape?" asked Curly.

"Because I don't want any talk afterwards. And I don't want you to do the shooting. Get Pete and Mosey to do it. And tell the sheriff what he's got to do."

When Reb observed the sheriff bearing a tray of food, entering his cell and bending over carelessly as if he were inviting the prisoner to pick the gun from his holster, he drew back. There was something that didn't ring true about this, and he was wary.

"I'll pour your coffee for ya," said the sheriff amiably. He bent still further forward, till his gun was within two inches of Reb's outstretched hand.

Reb started to reach for it, then drew back again, trying to get a mental pattern of the whole business. The sheriff poured the coffee as languidly as he could, slowly straightened up and started for the door.

"You know, Reb," he said, "I hate to see you here. Sometimes I sorta wish you would escape."

Reb studied him silently. The sheriff dropped his eyes and made toward the door. Suddenly Reb's foot shot out, and the other man went sprawling on the floor.

"I oughta kill you!" growled Reb. "What kind of a trap is this?"

"They made me do it!" whimpered the sheriff. "It was my skin or yours!"

Reb crept to the door. "When I give the signal," he ordered, "I want you to yell. Loud and long."

Locking the door, Reb glided to the sheriff's office, and studied the outer street through the window; then he put on the sheriff's hat and sat in a chair against the wall, his face hidden.

"Start yelling!" he called.

The sheriff wasted no time. "Help! Help!" he screamed. "Help, somebody! Help!"

Mosey, waiting to fire a broadside at Reb when he took advantage of the chance to escape, was puzzled. Slowly he came across the street, looked inside the sheriff's office, and saw what looked like a familiar figure.

"What's goin' on, sheriff?" he asked.

Reb shot to his feet like a panther.

"Step inside, mister!" he replied, covering the other. "Put on these things!"

Putting his hat and jacket on Mosey, Reb whirled him around.

"We'll soon see if anybody else is waiting to take a shot at me!" he snorted. "Get out there!"

Shoved out into the street, Mosey ran for his life. But Buckley, seeing the speeding form and taking it to be Reb, didn't wait to investigate. He aimed quickly and sent a bullet that crumpled Mosey in the street. In a moment a crowd started to gather.

Reb, taking advantage of the excitement, slipped out. Along he hurried, till he reached the dimly lighted window of the blacksmith's shop. Mehitabel, who had kept a horse saddled for days in the event he made a break, was waiting. Looking at her admiringly, Reb swung up on the mount.

"Somehow it don't seem right to be in such a hurry to leave a spot where there's such powerful good cookin'," he said.

"Forget the cookin' and get out," advised Mehitabel. "If Buckley don't get you, the army will!"

"When I come back from California, I'm going stop in and say thanks," were Reb's parting words.

He got out none too soon, for Curly approaching down the street saw him dashing past on his horse. He turned and tried several futile shots, then wheeled in the direction of the blacksmith's shop, followed by the sheriff.

"Did you give him that horse?" he demanded furiously of Mehitabel and Lafe.

"He held a gun on us," said Mehitabel.

"You're lying!"

"Maybe I am, but no varmint like you can tell me so! Now get out of here!"

Curly's answer was to push her roughly across the room. Lafe, his eyes flashing, drew a white hot poker from the forge. Curly cursed under his breath, then drew his gun and shot point-blank. Lafe sagged to the floor, mortally hurt.

Jimmy Kincaid, playing Indian and wearing a band of turkey feathers around his head, gave a squeal of delight as he saw his Uncle Reb drive up the roadway.

"I knew they couldn't keep you in jail," he cried. Reb's reply was to pick him up and give him an affectionate hug. Inside the stable, he began to change saddles, as Jimmy's face clouded.

"You ain't going away again?" the boy asked.

"Yep," said Reb. "Just stopped by to change horses."

"When will you be back?" pleaded Jimmy.

"Jes' as soon as I can manage it," said Reb. Seein tears in the youngster's eyes, he bent over. "Now see here," he commanded, "you wouldn't want them soldiers to put me back in jail, would you?"

Jimmy was fighting to control himself, as a sound of footsteps came from outside. Reb looked out to see Bronson and three other ranchers.

"You boys look kinda tuckered," he said, stepping out.

They stared at him in surprise. "Buckley's gang is taking every head of cattle in the valley," said Bronson. "We've been up all night trying to get the rest of the boys to do something about it."

"There's only one language for Buckley," said Reb. "That's lead."

"We know, Harkness," answered Bronson, "but I guess it's too late."

"Well, I can't stay here and fight the whole Seventh Cavalry, besides Buckley," said Reb. Swinging up on his saddle, he was about to start off when a spring wagon came into sight, down the drive. Mehitabel, looking drawn and haggard, was inside.

"They killed Lafe," she told Reb when she came within earshot.

Reb, clenching his hands as he waved to Lucy to help Mehitabel, turned around.

"Are you felows really serious about wantin' to fight Buckley?" he demanded.

They all nodded mutely.

"Then get on your horses!" ordered Reb. "Doggoned if I ain't startin' to get mad!"

Down in the deep sweep of the valley, the ranchers, who now numbered about fifteen, caught sight of more than a thousand cattle. They were tended by a dozen of Buckley's men.

"That's the herd," said Bronson.

★ FASHION PREVIEW ★

For frolicking around the campus, select this attractive two-piece green cotton- velveteen dress. The kind of a dress that will last for years and remain in style.

"Everyone of us will find our brand in it."

"We can't cut that herd without expectin' a real fight," said Reb.

"You lead the way," responded Bronson. "It took a lot to get us goin'—but it's goin' to take a lot more to stop us."

When Dawson, head man of the Buckley clique guarding the stolen cattle, saw the avancing men, he rode forward.

"Looks like you boys are prayin' for disaster," he sneered.

"We goin' to cut the stock that belongs to us," said Pa McKinley.

"Every head of cattle in this valley belongs to Mr. Buckley," retorted Dawson. "Any man that says otherwise is a liar."

"I say so, mister," answered Reb quitely.

Dawson wheeled, scowling. "You should have reached for your gun when you said that," he rejoined.

"There'll be plenty of time after you go for yours," said Reb.

Dawson's face darkened. His hand slipped quickly to his holster, but before he could extract his gun, Reb had drawn his own firing-piece. A bullet spat out, and Dawson fell to the ground.

Reb turned to the others. "Take him with you and give him to Mr. Buckley," he advised. "Tell him it's a present from Reb Harkness and the ranchers of the Sweetwater Valley. You can tell him too that if he wants to fight, we're waitin' for him."

(To be continued)

State to Check on Woodcock Bagged

Jefferson City, Oct. 16.—In behalf of federal agencies which are interested in the present status of the woodcock the Missouri Conservation Commission is asking Missouri duck and quail hunters to report the taking of any woodcock during the coming season. The season is open from November 10 to November 24.

Although its numbers are dwindling, the woodcock is still found to some extent in Missouri. Hunters who frequent low, heavily vegetated areas near streams or lakes should be on the lookout, for that is where they are found.

But unless the hunter is unusually alert, they are not often bagged. In autumn the hunter may flush one or two of these birds singly from some damp patch of bottom land in a wooded ravine. When he does, the bird rises suddenly and swiftly on shrill, whistling wings. It springs up almost vertically to a height greater than the undergrowth, and then darts away and is lost to view in the woods. Often before the hunter can get his gun to his shoulder.

Ruthless shooting of woodcocks during migration and in its winter quarters in days before it was protected have reduced its numbers to a fraction of what they once were.

The woodcock now receives not only federal but state protection in order that it may recuperate and perhaps regain its former abundance. Not only does the Missouri Conservation Commission protect the woodcock, but it is hoped that the Commission's state-wide cooperative pond building program will help bring it back to the extent where it will again become an important game bird in Missouri.

Hunters who bag woodcocks during the season are asked to inform the Commission by postcard, telling when and where the bird was taken, and whether they appear to be more abundant this year than in previous years.

3 Lead in North 2 in South Loop

After the dust had settled from the conference games in the Southeast Missouri loop the past week, a survey of the results shows:

Sikeston, Poplar Bluff and Charleston all tied for first in the North Division without a defeat.

Dexter and East Prairie, also undefeated in the circuit, with an equal foothold on the South End top notch, and Chaffee in undisputed third place.

Poplar Bluff's one-sided victory over Jackson gave the Mules two conference decisions. All other leaders have engaged in just one battle toward the circuit title.

Conference standings are:

NORTH DIVISION

	W.	L.	Pct.	Opp.
Poplar Bluff	2	0	45	20
Sikeston	1	0	14	0
Charleston	1	0	25	0
Perryville	0	1	6	32
Jackson	0	2	14	52

SOUTH DIVISION

	W.	L.	Pct.	Opp.
Dexter	1	0	19	13
East Prairie	1	0	19	0
Chaffee	1	1	32	19
Kennett	0	2	0	38

AVOID USE OF MANY BUILDING MATERIALS

The use of several different materials, especially those which contrast in color and texture, breaks up the exterior of the home into a series of small units or segments, declares an FHA pamphlet.

The height of the ancient Colossus of Rome is placed at 70 cubits, or 105 feet, by Pliny and Strabo. Later writers estimated it at about 80 cubits.

Association Seeks $5000 for Negro Training School

The Southeast Missouri Educational Improvement Association has set a goal of $5000 to finance the erection of a training school for negroes, it was announced by S. D. Woods, chairman, and Almeda Jones, secretary, of the county organization.

The association, which has conducted a survey among colored people of Southeast Missouri, finds a negro population of approximately 75,000, of which 65,000 depend absolutely on farming for a living.

A school, with a demonstration farm, where boys and girls and their parents can learn the best improved practices of farming and also learn trades, is the goal of the association. Members hope to be able to take to the school their problems of gardening, crop rotation, diversification, soil conservation, livestock, swine, poultry, disease and pest control, home improvement, and to hold their conferences on a live-at-home program.

The association has members in eight counties of Southeast Missouri.

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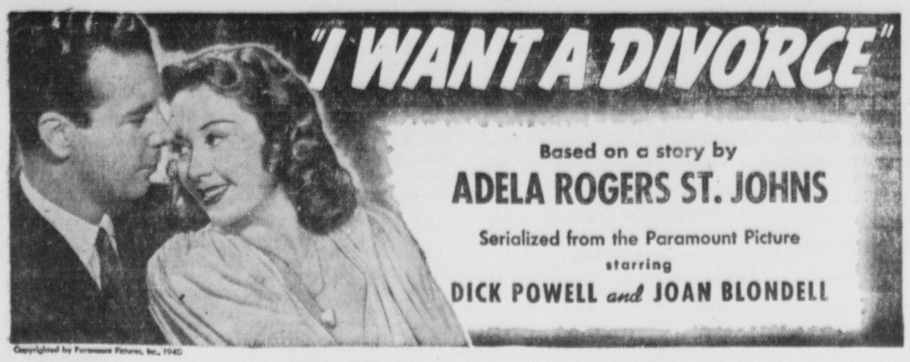

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CHAPTER FIVE SYNOPSIS

Allan MacNally, young attorney, marries Jerry Brokaw. Everything is fine until Allan becomes dissatisfied with his position in a reputable law firm. Erskine Brandon, flashy divorce lawyer, offers him a job as his assistant. Jerry, still hurt by her sister Wanda's senseless divorce handled by Brandon, warns him not to accept.

CHAPTER VI

Wanda had come to stay with them for a couple of days. She had just returned from New York, and was getting her apartment ready. Little David was coming back to her and, seemingly, she could think of nothing else. Jerry and Allan were delighted to have her, even though it did inconvenience them, and Allan had acquired a chronic stiff neck, from sleeping on the living room couch.

Jerry was fixing his breakfast, and Allan could tell the way she went about it that she had something more than eggs and coffee on her mind. As she sat down opposite him, she smiled broadly and held out both her hands clenched tightly.

"Guess which and it's yours," she told him, indicating her fists.

"I'll take the right," Allan said unenthusiastically.

"You win," she said, tossing a thick wad of bills beside his plate.

"M o n e y," Allan shouted. "Somebody die?" he asked.

"Wanda gave it to me. Two hundred dollars, isn't that marvelous?" Jerry said ecstatically. "She thought it would help out."

"I guess she took one look around and figured I wasn't supporting you in the luxury to which you'd been accustomed," he exploded. "Well, you can give it back to her, see! And you can tell her when I want charity I'll go on relief."

"Wanda didn't mean it that way at all," Jerry explained, hurt. "I guess she imagined . . ."

"I don't care what she imagined," he interrupted. "That's part of Wanda's alimony. Maybe you can reconcile yourself to living off David Holland but I—"

Allan stopped dead as Wanda walked into the room.

"Oh hello," he said sheeplishly.

Allan tossed his napkin on the table, slid back his chair, kissed Jerry perfunctorily and strode out.

"It's no use," Jerry said hopelessly to her sister. "Thanks just the same."

"Don't be silly," Wanda advised. "Mac is acting like a child."

"No, I can't take it, Wanda," Jerry anounced. "It would hurt his pride. If something doesn't happen soon, though, my pride is going for a tumble. I'm going to have to ease up on that promise I extracted, and let him go to work for Brandon, or it's over the hills to the poor house for us."

They were interrupted by the doorbell. Jerry went and with a yelp of delight found David Holland and young David. She called Wanda, and realizing that it was going to be a rather awkward situation for them, quickly went to the kitchen and straightened up the breakfast things.

Jerry heard the door slam and David's car drive away almost immediately after she left. Then she heard vaguely, as she went on with her work, Wanda and young Davey deep in conversation. Soon Wanda came into the bedroom, and as she packed up her things, Jerry noticed she was crying quietly.

"Are those tears of joy, madam?" she asked. "Or what goes on?"

"Oh Jerry, he's not mine any more," Wanda told her. "He's grown away from me and I don't know him."

"Why that's sheer nonsense, darling," Jerry told her. "Pull yourself together. You know how children are and how their interests switch. I'll bet that in a week he'll have practically forgotten his father—but it won't mean that he doesn't love him."

"You're wrong, Jerry," Wanda repeated firmly. "This is different. David was always closer to him than I was, anyway. And now it's just as though I didn't exist. Besides, David has fallen in love again, and little David seems to be equally smitten," Wanda concluded in another burst of tears.

"It seems that little David almost drowned at the lake, and this girl—Aunt Helen, he calls her—saved his life," she continued. "Now Davey can talk of no one else, and big David feels the same way."

"What did he say?" Jerry asked.

"You just forget it," Jerry insisted. "You're imagining a lot of things because you don't think your son was enthusiastic enough when he saw you."

As Jerry helped Wanda gather up her things, her mind was busy turning over the facts Wanda had set before her. So that was the way the land lay, she mused. More certain than ever that Wanda had come to her senses and that the divorce had all been a mistake, Jerry determined to help Wanda face that fact, and do something about remedying it.

"Now don't worry," she scolded Wanda as she took them to the door. "This will all turn out right, I'm sure." And to Davey, "Take good care of your mother, and make her happy, or I'll be very disappointed."

Much as she loved Wanda, Jerry was glad to have the house to herself again. The quarters had been close and the going had been tough, particularly on Mac. So, though her budget looked bleaker than ever, Jerry determined to have a little celebration in honor of their return to normal living.

When Jeff Gilman arrived late in the afternoon, Jerry had just about completed her plans for the party dinner. She and Allan had seen a lot of the shrewdly wise man they had met on the wharf months back, who had told them in so many words that they were made for each other. They had returned to the spot several times on hot nights, and never failed to run into him. And he had been one of the first people they had told of their engagement. Jeff had followed their doings with interest, and after the wedding he had made a habit of dropping by every Friday with a catch of fish, and through their talks, he and Jerry had become fast friends.

But today Jerry found him rather down in the mouth. He had practically nothing to say and was far from his usual self.

"I talked to Mac this morning," he offered.

"Really, how did that happen?" Jerry wanted to know.

"I just felt like talking to him," Jeff answered. "I thought you two might like to go out for dinner as a change, and I asked him about it."

"What did he say," Jerry asked.

"He said to leave it up to you," Jeff answered. "So how about it?"

Jerry hesitated. She didn't want to hurt Jeff's feelings but she knew that she and Allan couldn't possibly afford dinner out. As though he had read her thoughts Jeff went on.

"I want to celebrate. I've made some extra money this week taking a party fishing off Catalina, and you two kids have always been so swell to me I feel like I want to give you a treat. Be a sport and say you'll go," he pleaded.

Jerry agreed and Jeff was delighted. They arranged to meet, all three of them, at a small Hungarian restaurant where they had taken Jeff to tell him they were engaged. Jerry was the last to arrive, and when she spotted Allan, she saw him and Jeff bent over the table in earnest conversation. As she came to the table they stopped dead. She knew they were up to something, and determined to pry it out of them. After many false starts and attempts on their part to duck the issue, they finally agreed simultaneously.

"My wife wants to divorce me," Jeff said.

"But she also wants his bank account, his boat, and his bridgework," Mac explained. "So Jeff has to fight her."

"And on account of me bein' in a tough spot and his nibs here bein' my best friend and a good lawyer, I want him to do the fightin'," Jeff said with a relieved sigh.

"I see," said Jerry as she pushed back her chair to leave. They grabbed her and sat her down. All through dinner, course after course, they argued. Mac and Jeff insisting that this was different, it was for a friend, and that Jeff's wife was just out to take him for all she could.

Finally, although she knew it was a mistake, Jerry weakened. She could listen to no more.

"All right," she said emphatically. "But, Allan MacNally, I want you to realize this is an exception. It's just this once, because Jeff is our friend."

(To be continued)

Clara (visiting round-house)—What is that enormous thing?

Foreman—That is a locomotive boiler.

Clara—And why do you boil locomotives?

Foreman—To make the engine tender.

Missouri Boy Champ Arrives for Final Meet

Here's James W. Colmey, of Webster Grove, Missouri's state champion boy automobile driver. He's shown as he arrived at the Ford Motor pavilion at the New York World's Fair, ready to compete in the finals to determine the national boy driving champion. Colmey's expenses, and those of an adult sponsor chosen by himself, were paid by the Ford Good Driver's League. At the first annual Champions' Banquet at the Ford pavilion on Aug. 29, Edsel Ford, president of the League, was scheduled to award the prizes—48 univiersity scholarships with an aggregate value of $30,000. The object of the League is to promote safety on the highways by teaching exery boy in America to drive expertly. It has a membership of scores of thousands of boys in all parts of the country.

Expressions *From* Without

The Negro Democrat Club
Box 55, Sikeston, Mo.

Located at Johnson's Cafe Sunset Addition is open for information, Literature, and membership cards. We will be glad for all membership cards are free.

We have in Southeast Misosuri approximately 75000 negroes, of which 60 per cent of that amount will vote for the New Deal according to information given from their leaders.

For the past seventy-five years the Republican Party has been the power of our National Government, fifty or sixty years of this time by being in control of our National Government. This means a majority in both houses of Congress, enabling this party to enact legislation and pass laws to benefit the underpriviledged class of citizens, of which we are in the majority.

These important duties are expected of any party from its supporters irrespective of politics. We as colored people were naturally adherents of the Republican party because of its standard bearer, Abraham Lincoln, and the principles he stood for. But from past evidence this party is under the impression that because of this noble leader's gallant fight, we as a race should not expect any more.

I think the G. O. P. should forget the issues of seventy-five years ago and awake to the fact that this is the era of a new negro, a negro who has been endowed with the teaching that a man is a man.

In preparing this address we show no favoritism to either party though we can say without a word of contradiction that the Democratic party has taken no advantage of the race and its potentialities as a voting group. But I do say that it has outstripped the opposite party in showing appreciation for the support so far received.

Today we are confident that our representation in proportion to our electorate has been more readily met in the last eight years than it has been in the past seventy-five years by the opposite party.

It is my contention that the Democratic party in order to continue to hold gains already made and to entice other race voters to its banner must recognize the race as a power and deal with it accordingly. Negro leaders in the Republican party are trying to frighten negroes back into that party by emphasizing discrimination and prejudice which is racial and not political. They are charging the Democratic party with crimes which can be confined neither to Democrats nor to Republicans. I like to say to one and all that we must support men regardless of their station in life who have the courage to defend the rights of the people and the wisdom to help guide our political ship to success.

By Rev. J. M. Jones,
President.
J. B. Graves, Sec.

Safetygrams

BY FRED W. BRAUN
The Safety Man

In spite of all the safety activities throughout the country, in spite of excellent engineering and well-trained traffic police, and in spite of all the educational work that is being done in our schools, we cannot have safe highways without good courts.

All of the safety work that is being done, such as erecting warning signs, carefully issuing licenses, building smooth road surfaces, and passing speed laws, is ineffective if willful violators know they can "get anway with it."

Good laws become useless when the courts fail to back them.

There is a tendency in every community to have some influential people with the police department or the courts try to "fit" tickets. This nullifies all the good work the police are doing, and breaks down the morale in the department. The justice of the peace, or even the judge in the court room, instead of helping a community and protecting its citizens, is doing just the opposite.

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I clearly remember the Europe of the Summers from 1934 to 1939, and how, when I returned to America worried about the new forces in Europe that were teaching intolerance and were openly threatening all democratic governments. Franklin Roosevelt was among the few who had vision enough to read the future, to try to prepare, and was defeated in his foresighted international policy by reactionary Democrats and short-sighted Republicans like Senator Borah, who knew that "Europe would not go to war."

I believe that the American way of life demands a high wage scale because American industry cannot sell its products to a pauperized working class, and the present administration has recognized that labor's bargaining power must have legal recognition and support.

I vividly remember the Chicago's Boys' Court in 1932 and 1933, how direct the connection was between poverty and crime and what tremendous improvements came with the CCC camps, the WPA and other agencies that aided the social and economic condition of these boys and their parents.

As a lawyer, I remember our Supreme Court of the 1920s and the early '30s and how it refused to recognize that the purpose of the Constitution was stated to be to "promote the general welfare." That Supreme Court has been succeeded by men of social vision, who recognize that the Constitution is a dynamic document and must be interpreted to fit the changing social needs of the people, and most of these interpreters were chosen by Franklin D. Roosevelt.

I also remember former attorney generals who didn't know that the Constittuion guaranteed the civil liberties of the individual, while those guarantees have today a real meaning under the successive terms of Frank Murphy and Robert Jackson.

Improved methods of communication and transportation have made a new world. Social and economic thinking must be done along national and international lines. "Laissez-faire" in industry is gone for good. The farmer, the business man and the working man are less than ever masters of their own fate. The economic forces of modern life are too complex.

The purpose of government is to promote security. That means more than public defense. The administration that guaranteed bank deposits, enacted social security legislation, saved millions of middle-class home-owners, helped the building of new homes, fed the hungry, prevented the complete, restored the purchasing power of the farmer and halted a national economic debacle should not be exchanged for a party without a program. Abstract opposition to a "third term" is meaningless when the general welfare of the American people is the issue.

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MORLEY NEWS

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY DINNER GIVEN MRS. LESLIE

Friends of Mrs. Lutie P. Leslie gathered in the basement of the Baptist Church to celebrate her 80th birth anniversary with a dinner Monday. Out-of-town friends were Mrs. H. F. Kirkpatrick of Benton, Mrs. Smith Edminston and Mrs. Fred Black of Vanduser and Mrs. Joe Leslie of Sikeston.

WOMEN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MEETS

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Gene Daugherty. Mrs. Phoebe Black was leader of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stowe and children of Matthews visited at the W. M. Foster home Wednesday.

Mrs. Harris Foster and son, Bob, of Cape Girardeau visited Mrs. J. R. Lee Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Cassidy and son of Crowder visited Mrs. Henrietta Daugherty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hickson and children visited at Peach Orchard, Ark., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Gilliland and children have moved to Oran.

Mrs. Hal May and daughter, Joy, who had been visiting in St. Louis returned home last week.

The Morley softball team defeated the Blodgett softball team Friday, 4 to 2.

Mrs. H. M. Gately and daughter, Kathleen, and Mrs. Wayne Gately of Oran visited Mrs. Paul Foster Wednesday.

Miss Ruby Hitt of Charleston visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hitt Sunday.

Elmer Montgomery of Sikeston was in town Monday.

William Lemley of Farmington visited friends here Tuesday.

Harry Tomlinson of Cape Girardeau visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith Sunday.

Mrs. U. G. Ragains and daughters, Misses Wilma and Lula Ruth, and Miss Margaret Thacker spent the week end in St. Louis.

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Maude E. Sutton and J. Z. Sutton to LaRue E. Gasche, Lot 8, Block 8, Parkland Add., Sikeston, $1.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Matthews to City of Sikeston, Lots 2 and 3, Out Block 39, Sikeston, $1.

Mr. and Mrs. August Lux to Blanche L. Blattel, SE¼-NE¼, 17-29-14, except strip off north side for private road, containing one-half acre approximately, and strip off south side for private road, containing .606 acres.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Menz, Oran, to Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Dalton of Cape Girardeau, Lots 13 and 14, Block 6, Oran, $350.

Rev. H. K. Sutter of Springfield is holding a two weeks revival at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beardslee of Rector, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dixon of Fredericktown and Kenneth Stallings of Sikeston were dinner guests of Mrs. Ella Stallings Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leslie and daughter, Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leslie, Jr., of Fredericktown, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leslie and Leroy Leslie of Sikeston and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leslie and son of St. Louis visited Mrs. Lutie Leslie Sunday.

BERTRAND NEWS

MISSISSIPPI METHODIST UNION MEETS

The Mississippi County Union of Methodist Young People held the October monthly meeting on Tuesday night at the Bertrand Methodist Church. Miss Jane Thompson led the program, which had the subject "Harvest-Time." A business meeting followed the worship service. The November meeting was announced to be held at Dogwood. Games were played in the basement, which was decorated with cornstalks and Halloween paper. A skeleton was the reception committee, and popcorn balls and apples were served to 79 guests.

Mrs. Clarence Patrick and Anita Bebout made a business trip to Sikeston Tueday afternoon.

The draft registration was held in Bertrand at the School House from 6:30 a. m. to 9:30 p. m. Wednesday. Clyde Hart was in charge of the registrars. The school building was vacant because of school dismissal for the teachers meeting in Cape Girardeau.

Joella Patrick and Leon Schwab were in Kennett Tuesday afternoon to hear the Navy Band.

Mrs. Alice Tabor enjoyed a fish fry Sunday with friends at Ted Bennett's.

Mrs. Jim Webb has been ill for several days.

Virginia Russell was the Wednesday night guest of Juanita Bandy, Charleston.

Mrs. Ola Thompson shopped in Charleston Tuesday afternoon.

George Fenimore, who has been suffering from heart attacks, is reported improving.

Miss Lula Burnett was a visitor in Charleston Monday night.

Clarence Patrick and Albert Volker were business visitors in Charleston Monday afternoon.

Aline Van Pool was the Sunday dinner guest of Jerry Cunningham.

Rev. J. J. Willis, Methodist minister, was returned to the Bertrand-Blodgett circuit for the year 1940-41 at the Jefferson City state Methodist Ministers Conference.

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ORAN NEWS

FAREWELL PARTY FOR JENNINGS FAMILY

A farewell party and supper was given Friday night in the basement of the Baptist Church in honor of the Jennings family, who are moving this week to Illmo, where they have purchased a home. Over fifty guests were present and enjoyed a most excellent supper. The W. M. U. and other friends presented them with a beautiful electric floor lamp. The Jennings family will be greatly missed as they were active members of the Baptist Church. Miss Hazel Jennings is teaching this year at Randles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller and Mrs. Geo. Stehr were in Cape Girardeau Saturday night.

Mrs. Frank Girsie and Mrs. Joe Rumhann of St. Louis spent several days recently with their aunt, Mrs. Hess. A nephew, Sylvester Rupp, also of St. Louis spent Sunday with Mrs. Hess.

Miss Wilma McCray, who has been visiting her sister in Osceola, Ark., came home Monday of last week bringing her small nephew. On Tuesday, Mrs. Bessie Davenport came up from Osceola and took the little fellow home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Lois Benson came over last week from her home in Noble, Ill., for a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Howard.

Mrs. Clemson, Mrs. Jennings, Mrs. Thelma Maddox, Mrs. Chas. Carter and Mrs. Henson were in Sikeston on Tuesday of last week attending a district meeting of the W. M. U.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse James and family of Jackson were among those who atetnded the farewell party and supper in honor of the Jennings family here Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earlie Carter came up from Deering Sunday on business and to take their daughters, who have been visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Day, home.

Mrs. Gladys Sikes and children were up from Sikeston Sunday afternoon.

Asa Ventres of near Marble Hill was here Monday.

Mrs. Bass, who has been visiting in St. Louis the past three weeks, came home Thursday.

Earl McCallister spent last week in St. Louis on business.

Mrs. Claude O'Connor and daughters Mary Lou and Miss Camilles of Sikeston spent the week end with the former's mother, Mrs. Cora Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Crader and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Crader drove to St. Louis Saturday returning Sunday.

In a letter last week received by Mrs. Lou Metz from her daughter, Mrs. Lucille Schoffer of Flint, Michigan she stated that Howard Hall had passed away at his home in Davidson, Mich. The Hall family resided here a number of years and Howard was the youngest child. One son, Ed, was a carpenter and a daughter, Miss Emma, was employed in the Heisserer store.

Mrs. Nora Crafton, who has been seriously ill is somewhat improved.

FIDELIS CLASS TO MEET UNDER NEW OFFICERS

A meeting of the new officers of the Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church, elected and installed at a recent meeting, will be held at the home of the president, Mrs. Archie Hayden, Thursday evening, October 25, at 7:30 o'clock. Other officers elected are Mrs. David Elrod, first vice-president; Mrs. Rex Martin, second vice-president; Mrs. Fred Farris, third vice-president; Mrs. John A. Moll, fourth vice-president; Mrs. A. M. Jackson, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. P. H. Stevenson, teacher; Mrs. R. W. Schwieter, assistant teacher.

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Delta CCC Camp Notes

CAMP SETS OPEN HOUSE DATE

Open House Day at the Delta Camp has been tenatively set at Sunday, October 27. As in the past, the public is cordially invited to attend this Open House. A program for the day is being arranged and will be published in the local newspapers at a later date.

DEMONSTRATION PROJECT COMPLETED BY CAMP

The CCC Camp at Delta has just completed a demonstration project on Ditch No. 35 on the farm of G. L. Heyde, circuit clerk of Cape Girardeau County, with The Little River Drainage District cooperating. Ditch No. 35 was cleaned out with a government dragline in 1938. This summer, the Delta Camp with Mr. Heyde cooperating, did the following work on the ditch through Mr. Heyde's farm: leveled the spoil bank and sowed it to a mixture of pasture and meadow grasses, constructed fences along the outside and adjacent to the spoil bank, constructed swinging watergates across the ditch at the upper and lower limits of the farm, and dug, sloped and seeded the inlets so that scouring of these inlets will be decreased.

The above area now forms a nice sized pasture which Mr. Heyde can utilize. In pasturing the ditch in this way, it is hoped that all weed and willow growth will be kept down within the ditch and on the spoil banks thus giving a greater capacity to the ditch and lessening the clearing requirements.

Mr. Heyde's farm is located one mile south and one and one-half miles east of Perkins. The above work can be seen from the road along the farm and the public is invited to view this work.

CLAYTON PROJECT NEARLY FINISHED

The CCC Camp at Delta, Missouri has recently been working on one-half mile of Ditch No. 35 to complete what is known as a demonstration project. The portion of Ditch No. 35 on which this work is being done is on the land of H. C. Clayton, a progressive farmer, who lives 2 miles east of Bell City, on the Bell City-Vanduser Road.

About two years ago, the camp, cooperating with The Little River Drainage District, cleaned out Ditch No. 35 by dragline. After this cleanout, Mr. Clayton contacted the camp and requested that it do additional work on the portion of the ditch running through his farm. With Mr. Clayton furnishing the supplies, materials, and a part of other costs, the camp will complete the following work on the ditch this fall, level both spoil banks and seed the area to grass for meadow or pasture, place a fence along the outside of each spoil bank, construct a water gate across the ditch at the property line, construct six concrete structures and two sod flumes at the points the farm drains enter the ditch.

Mr. Clayton will benefit from the above work by having additional area for pasture or meadow of his farm, and also the value of his farm will be increased because the unsightly spoil banks previously grown up with weeds and brush will now be low ridges covered with a growth of a mixture of grasses. Previously at the points the farm drains had entered Ditch No. 35, the drains had eroded back into the adjacent fields causing gullies. The structures are means to allow the water to be let down into the drainage ditch without any erosion. At points where the drainage areas were large and a great deal of water entered the ditch, concrete structures were built. At points the drainage areas were small, the inlets were sloped back about 40 feet and strip sodded and seeded.

The maintenance of the portion of ditch through Mr. Clayton's farm will decrease due to the following reasons: The weed and willow growth will be kept down by pasturing or mowing, all silt from the erosion of the farm drains, previously deposited in the bottom of the drainage ditch will be stopped. For this reason, the expense of future cleanouts will be less.

Mr. Clayton would like to have anyone see this work and talk to them about the advantages of treating the spoil banks in this way.

HOG CHOLERA CHIEF SWINE DESTROYER

Over 500 head of hogs worth at least $2,500 died last winter in Scott County because owners failed to use one common practice—vaccination, says Dr. Grimes, State Veterinarian in charge of swine disease work in Missouri.

The disease hog cholera still ranks as the nation's number one swine destroyer, Swine producers dread the words "hog cholera" when such a diagnosis is made in a herd of sick hogs. Why? Because even though the disease is stopped and most of the pigs are saved, the financial loss is always greater than if the pigs had been made immune by vaccination before the disease struck the herd.

The careful hog raiser takes no chances with this disease but has his pigs vaccinated two weeks before weaning. The cost for vaccine amounts to approximately 20 cents per pig of this age. Why lose a hog when insurance is so cheap.

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Baptist Church

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Alva Vaughn, Superintendent.

Morning Worship at 10:45 a. m. Sermon by Rev. W. C. Broderson, pastor of the Charleston Baptist Church. Rev. Milner will supply the pulpit at the Charleston church.

B. T. U. at 6:30 p. m. Mrs. Wallis Clippard, Director.

Evening Worship at 7:30 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Vision of Faith."

Weekly teachers and officers meeting each Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock; prayer service at 7:30 o'clock; choir practice at 8:30 o'clock. The choir has begun practice on a Christmas Cantata and all members are asked to attend each practice.

Rev. E. W. Milner, pastor.

Nazarene Church

For Sunday morning preaching hour the sermon subject will be, "Sanctify Them". In the evening the theme is to be, "Sanctification an Imperative."

The midweek prayer meeting is held at 7:30 each Wednesday night.

Sunday Bible School at 9:30 each Sabbath morning.

J. W. Hoffert, pastor.

U. S. ASKED TO CHECK REPORTS NAZIS ABUSE BRITISH CAPTIVES

London, Oct. 15.—Sir Edward Grigg, Under-secretary of War, said in the House of Commons today that United States authorities have been asked to verify reports from International Red Cross delegates that British war prisoners in Germany are being mistreated either by segregation, rating or in being forced to clear bombing debris in violation of the Geneva convention of 1929.

To a suggestion that captured German airmen be used for clearing bomb debris in Britain, Grigg replied that "because the enemy breaks conventions is no reason we should."

KIND OF COTTON FOR MATTRESSES

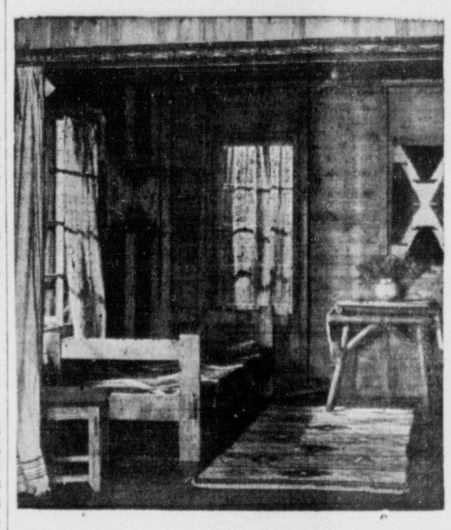
Cotton for best quality mattresses should be mature, ginned and dry. The job of making the mattress is also easier when the cotton is in good condition.

Those desiring to make mattresses, should save cotton for that purpose now. Ten yards of medium grade ticking are necessary. Directions for making the tick may be secured from the Scott County Extension Office as well as the twine and needles.

Camps and Playrooms

Not so very long ago, I did suggest in this column, various ways to decorate your camp. Letters, however, still ask for more ideas as well as ideas for the winter play room. Those who are just opening camp for the late season, or planning to use it in October will be interested, I hope, in the illustration which shows an alcove used as a bedroom in a rough log cabin. Here the fabrics, the curtains which shut it off, the decorations on the wall, the rug and the bedspread are of Indian character and most effective for such use. By all means find something of the same kind if you can and if you like this type of decoration. If not, a practical result can be achieved by the use of unbleached muslin for the draw curtains which shut off the alcove. To give them character, apply a border of striped material down the sides and across the bottom. Use the same striped band as a cornice across the top. The small curtains should be of a solid color appearing in the stripe and the bedspread could be of striped material. A primitive rug with the same colors would be a wise choice.

If you are beginning to think of a game room because you are converting a basement or cellar, consider how an attractive room was made with stone and brick wall as background. A shallow low shelf around the room where the stone joined the brick 6 inches from the floor gave a place to put trophy cups and also acted as a wall decoration. Gay checks, stripes or plaids make an excellent chair covering, repeated as draw curtains for the small high window above the shelf. With a background as rough as this use sturdy maple or oak furniture and so that the room will not be too dizzy, the floor covering should be plain in color, though having the same rough character.



An alcove off the main camp room may be curtained off with unbleached muslin with gay striped applique

YORK CLUB MEETS AT SCHOOLHOUSE

Twenty-two young folks met at the York Schoolhouse on Wednesday evening, October 9, with Charles Harvey, president, presiding.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Shelby were chosen adult sponsors of the club. Committees appointed were: Education, Motel Beck, chairman; recreation, Nadine Tate, chairman.

A meeting of the educational committee will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 5:00 at the schoolhouse. Miss Jane Hinote, state club leader, will help the committee work out a program at that time.

It was decided to send a delegate to the recreational school at Malden with expense paid. To raise some money for the club, they decided to give a play some time the latter part of November. Mrs. Laura Ayers will coach the play. The meeting was then turned over to Sara Smith, Cleddie Jones and Maudeline Gooch, the games committee, for this meeting.

The next meeting will be the second Wednesday night in November.

A speaker at a meeting rose to support a motion that a year ago he had opposed.

"Some of you," he said, "may wonder why I am supporting now the very thing I opposed last year. Well, I had a reason then. Now I have lost my reason."

Rudyard Kipling was born in Bombay, India.

CROSSROAD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cowger of Illinois visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Link over the week end.

Miss Flora Dell Tennyson of Fulton is visiting her aunt, Mrs. O. V. McReynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Goolsby and daughter, Jean Chlo, attended the play at the Matthews school Tuesday night.

Billy Hudson spent Sunday evening with James, Jr., and Billy Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Estell Saulsberry shopped in New Madrid Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sanders and son, Jimmy, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. McReynolds Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Davidson were called to Sikeston Monday morning by the illness of their daughter, Mrs. Eulalah Irvin, who was bitten by a spider Sunday night.

Maxine McReynolds spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McReynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. McReynolds and Flora Dell Tennyson made a business trip to New Madrid Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gadis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cox.

Jimmy and Billy McReynolds spent Sunday with their uncle, O. V. McReynolds.

J. T. HART PURCHASES PURE BRED BULL

J. T. Hart, who lives north of New Madrid on Highway 61, bought a year old registered Hereford bull calf at the district sale at Farmington last Monday. The bull which cost Mr. Hart around $140 was one of twenty-seven good Herefords consigned by St. Francois County breeders. It came from the herd of C. J. Westmeyer, Farmington, president of the county beef cattle breeder's assn. Top bull in the sale was out of the herd of Henry C. Detring, Knob Lick, Mo. The calf, also a Hereford, brought $197.50.

E. S. Matteson, extension animal husbandman, supervised the sale, and described the merits of herd sires, in a demonstration of five Herefords and two Angus herd bulls, prior to the sale. C. F. Detring, brother to Henry C. Detring, exhibited an eighteen month old Hereford bull purchased recently from a herd in Western Nebraska, for a price reputed to be $2600.

New Madrid county people at the sale included J. T. Hart, Harry Hart, Fred Geske, and County Agent Teal.

"That sailor wanted to kiss me sixteen times last night."

"How do you know he did?"

"Because I counted them."

Milligan Gets National Job

Washington, Oct. 15.—Attorney General Jackson anounced today assignment of Maurice M. Milligan, United States attorney for western Missouri, to conduct a nationwide investigation of complaints of law violation in connection with the November election.

Milligan, prosecutor in the Kansas City election fraud cases, was made special assistant to the Attorney General on leave of absence from his Missouri post.

The announcement said that the investigation would be conducted in every state or city where complaints indicated a "prima facie case of law violation."

"A great number of complaints," Jackson said, "have been filed with the department of justice or publicly made by officials of both national political parties and by individual citizens throughout the country, charging wholesale registration irregularities and conspiracies to violate the Corrupt Practice Act, the Civil Rights Statutes, the Hatch Act and other federal laws.

"The charges include receiving contributions and making expenditures in excess of the limits provided in the Hatch Act, passed registration lists, destruction of records, Hatch Act violations of a criminal nature, striking off of registration lists and various alleged conspiracies to violate federal statutes.

"The character of these complaints makes it imperative that we have a thorough investigation wherever such complaints appear well-founded and by a coordinated unit qualified to carry through prosecutions where warranted.

"To supervise such an inquiry, I have summoned to Washington Maurice M. Milligan, United States attorney for the western district of Missouri, whose successful prosecution of Kansas City election fraud cases in 1936-38 and the 1939 income tax cases broke the control of the Pendergast machine in Missouri."

Jackson said Milligan would be given the "utmost latitude" in conducting the investigation and would be given full cooperation by all department officials.

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MOREHOUSE NEWS

Mrs. Muriel Barnes is visiting friends and relatives at Jacksonville, Ill., this week.

Miss Naomi Terrell, who is employed in St. Louis, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Terrell.

Mrs. Madge Woods and children of Poplar Bluff is visiting her mother, Mrs. Josie Keeling this week.

Mrs. Eleanor Chapman and Mrs. Rosie Kinder motored to Malden Saturday afternoon where they visited friends.

Mrs. Tiny Clodfelter and son, Howard of Wappello are visiting their daughter and sister, Miss Lorraine, here this week.

Mrs. Nora Smith has purchased a cafe at Sikeston which was formerly the Mobil Gas Cafe

Baker Headlee visited his mother, Mrs. Otilla Headlee, Sunday en route to his home in Wichita, Kan. Mr. Headlee has been to New York as a buyer for the George Innes Co. of Wichita.

The Morehouse School Band attended the concert given by the Navy Band at Kennett Tuesday afternoon.

The Morehouse Public Schools dismissed Thursday and Friday for Teacher's Meeting to be held at Cape Girardeau.

Tom Lee, A. F. Stanley, Grover Meatte, Sam Harris and son, Raymond, of New Madrid were business visitors here Saturday.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19—
"Return of Wild Bill"
With Bill Elliott
COMEDY AND SERIAL

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, OCTOBER 20-21—
"My Favorite Wife"
With Cary Grant and Irene Dunn.
News and Comedy.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22—
"The Villian Pursued Her"
With Anita Louise and Richard Cromwell
Comedy and Short.
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Total .....10c and 20c

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Saturday, Matinee and Night 10c and 30c
Sunday, Matinee and Night 10c and 36c

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THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10-11—
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SATURDAY, OCT. 19—
"Ragtime Cowboy Joe"
Serial—FLASH GORDON
Admission—10c and 25c

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, OCTOBER 20-21—
"Before I Hang"
With Boris Karloff
Admission—10c and 20c

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22-23—
"Millionaire Playboy"
With Joe Penner and Linda Hayes
Admission 10c and 16c

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24-25—
"Diamond Frontier"
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Fire Reports Show Gas Far Safer Than Electricity

The United States observed Fire Prevention Week this year during the week of October 6-12. . Industry as a whole has contributed more to the success of these annual observances than any other class in our national economy and it has benefited proportionately, according to the National Fire Protection Association, of Boston, Mass., which states further that under present industrial conditions, with production on the upward curve, there is a need for tightening our defenses against fire.

An interesting fact that the latest statistics compiled by the Association reveal is that while 70,500 fires have been caused by electricity and electrical appliances and motors during the last annual period, there have been only 4000 fires caused by gas and gas appliances. Electrical fire losses totaled $25,200,000 and those from gas but $800,000.

The above article is reproduced from the September, 1940 issue of Butane—Propane News.

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BUILDING A BETTER STATE

Missouri Association for Social Welfare

"OF CATTLE AND MEN"

Sixty-five years ago Disraeli declared in one of his famous speeches, "The first consideration of any government must be the health of the people". Health must be interpreted in a wide sense—health of the mind as well as the body.

Health service has become a major consideration of government but strangely enough in provision for safe-guarding health the physical health only of our people has been given consideration. Cromwell in an address before the British Parliament in 1656 said, "The mind is the man . . . if not I would fain see what difference there is betwixt him and a beast".

The state's duties and functions are first, to determine the extent of mental defect and disease within its borders by a properly conducted survey and evaluation of its social assets and liabilities. Second, to set up and put in operation such machinery as may be necessary to decrease its social liabilitie as they relate to mental disease and defect, to delinquency, dependency, and crime.

The people of a commonwealth are certainly as important as the cattle and swine that form a large portion of the wealth of the state and nation. Our state has spent enormous sums for the study and eradication of diseases that threaten our prosperity in the field of animal husbandry. Our schools and universities have been liberally endowed that education might make its contribution to the enjoyment of a more abundant life. Our physical health has been safeguarded by wise legislation and the establishment of agencies to enforce public sanitation, by quarantine and by immunization, but the mental health of the people without which there can be no capacity for enjoyment and no contribution to our social or economic assets, has been shamefully neglected.

The result has been the progressive increase in dependency, in juvenile delinquency, in crime, in feeblemindedness, and insanity as reflected in the state's increasing economic burden.

MRS. STARK TO MAKE SERIES OF CAMPAIGN TALKS IN OHIO

Jefferson City, Oct. 14.—Mrs. Lloyd C. Stark will make several speeches in Ohio tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday for the women's division of the Democratic National Committee, the Governor's office announced today.

Mrs. Stark left today for Defiance, O. The names of the cities where she will speak were not given.

The Governor's wife, who has often played a speaking role in Missouri campaigns, recently addressed the State Democratic convention at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Christmas is not a legal holiday in Kansas.

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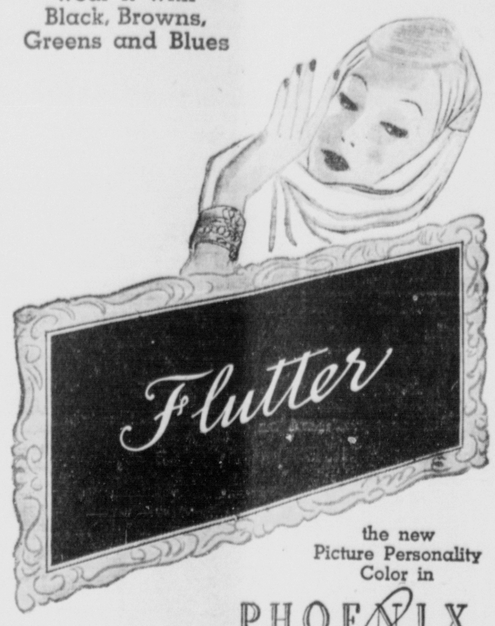

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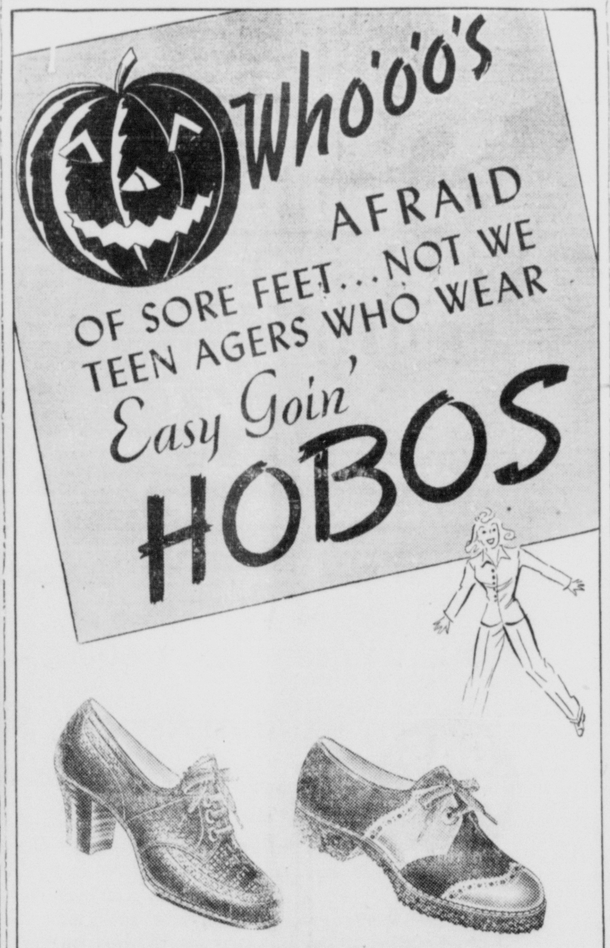

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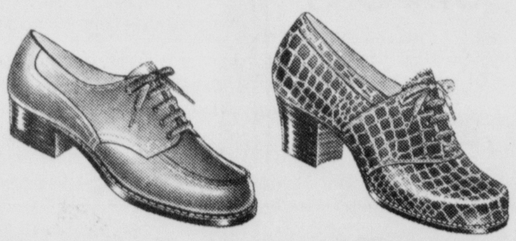

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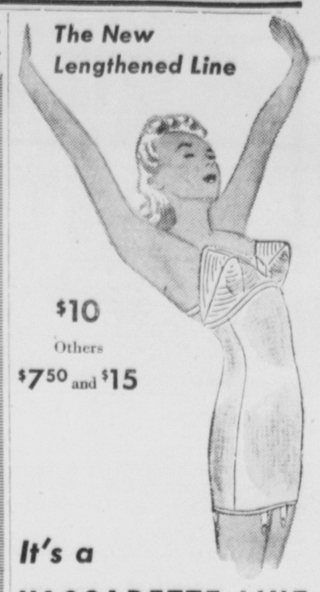

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Getting Better Results From Your Vacuum Cleaners

If you are not satisfied with the job your vacuum cleaner does on rugs and carpets, perhaps you may need a new cleaner. On the other hand, you may not be using your cleaner correctly so that it can do its work well. The first rule is using your vacuum cleaner is to make sure that the floor nozzle is adjusted to the thickness of each rug or carpet on which it is used. This is a must, if you want your cleaner to do its best work on rugs and carpets of different thicknesses. Some cleaners have nozzles that do not need adjusting. Find out whether nozzle of your cleaner does need adjusting and how it should be done.

If your cleaner has a motor-driven brush, the second rule is to keep the brush in good working order. Brushes will wear out with use. When worn they should be adjusted or replaced.

EMPTY DUST BAGS FREQUENTLY

Your cleaner will also be better able to do its work if you will empty the dust bag each time you use the cleaner. This is a disagreeable task, but if the bag is emptied on damp newspaper it really isn't so bad. Wear your household gloves and shake the dirt down toward the opening. Then hold the bag close to the damp newspaper and shake the dust out gently. And here's a caution note: Don't dump loose dust directly into your furnace or incinerator. Loose dust mixed with air sometimes forms an explosive mixture, which may explode on contact with flame. Disposable paper bag linings are available in cleaners of some makes. When cleaner bags grow old, dust may escape from them. to attempt repairing the fabric. When this happens, it is better not Buy a new bag.

DAILY USE IS GOOD

How long should a cleaner be run over a rug? That depends upon the regularity with which rugs are cleaned, the amount of traffic they get, the kind of soil in the rugs, and the kind of rug. The important thing about cleaning rugs and carpets is to get the dirt before it has a chance to settle far down into the pile, where it is most difficult to remove and may eventually do damage. A good rule is to use your cleaner daily in rooms where traffic is heavy.

Even twenty minutes spent in cleaning a 9 by 12 rug will probably leave some dirt in the rug. So don't be disturbed if a vacuum-cleaner demonstrator gets dirt out of your rug immediately after it has been cleaned with your cleaner. If your cleaner is a good one, and is working properly, it would get this extra dirt, too, if you emptied the bag and started all over again.

NO HARM TO RUGS

Forget the bugaboo that a good cleaner will wear out or injure rugs or carpets. It is well established that one of the chief reasons rugs wear out before their time is the dirt that is allowed to accumulate in them. Gritty dirt, ground under the heels, can shorten the life of the best rug. Reduce the dirt accumulation by regular use of your cleaner, and you will be helping to prolong the life of your rugs.

ABOVE-THE-FLOOR CLEANING

Most vacuum-cleaner manufacturers supply attachments for their cleaners for dusting and cleaning furniture, woodwork, draperies, radiators, clothing, and the like. Ask to have the attachments demonstrated for you, and be sure try them yourself. Some may seem more useful to you than others. You may not need them all.

Convenient for above-the-floor cleaning are the small hand-type cleaner we've tested and approved. These are light enough to be carried about and used with one hand. Hand-type cleaners are particularly useful for cleaning upholstered furniture. Attachments for other above-the-floor cleaning jobs come with some cleaners of this type.

Also effective for above-the-floor cleaning is the small-size tank-type of cylinder cleaner we have approved for this kind of work. However, we do not have on our approved list any of the tank-type or cylinder cleaners that are also sold for rug and carpet cleaning. We have not as yet found any tank-type cleaner that meets our requirements for removing dirt from rugs and carpets. We feel that rug and carpet cleaning is a vacuum cleaner's most important function. There is no other way we know of for a woman herself to keep her rugs and carpets clean, and lessen the accumulation of destructive gritty dirt, except by using a cleaner that has efficiency for this kind of work.

Oldsmobile's styling and advanced engineering principles for 1941 received highest praise from top ranking executives of General Motors Corporation at a special preview of the new cars at Lansing this week. Following a complete inspection of the full line of new Oldsmobiles, Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., chairman of the Board of General Motors, predicted the biggest year for Oldsmobile in the company's history for 1941. Photo shows Mr. Sloan at the wheel of a 1941 Oldsmobile convertible and C. E. Wilson, acting president of General Motors; D. E. Ralston, general sales manager of Oldsmobile; C. L. McCuen, R. H. Grant and Albert Bradley, vice presidents of General Motors. S. E. Skinner, general manager of Oldsmobile is shown beside the new model. Semo Motor Co. is local Oldsmobile dealer.

Post-Dispatch Critic Of Roosevelt, Backs Him for Third Term

St. Louis, Oct. 12.—The Post-Dispatch, which opposed President Roosevelt's re-election in 1936 and has severely criticised his foreign policy, announced today in an editorial its support of the President for a third term.

The newspaper, which often has been critical of the President's policies, stated "the decision is a hard one to make because it involves abandonment of the old American tradition against a third term and because of criticisms which this newspaper has been obliged to make and which it continues to make."

The editorial said Wendell L. Willkie, the Republican presidential nominee, by indorsements of New Deal domestic and foreign policies "practically removed them from the campaign and thereby robbed his own candidacy of any vital meaning. To sum it up, after careful and open-minded study of the Willkie candidacy, we find is singularly unconvincing, singularly empty of content."

It adds: "Roosevelt, as a President, as a statesman, as a politician, as a leader, is a known quantity. Willike, after a nationwide campaign, is still, in many respects, an unknown quantity. We know the one candidate, we do not know the other."

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SUPER-FIRE-FIGHTING IS SUPER-DEFENSE

Those individuals who are inclined to disregard the importance of peace-time fire-fighting and fire prevention may be impressed by the manner in which such work affects the strength of our national defense program.

According to news reports, negotiations are under way to send 25 American firemen to London to study new methods of quenching bomb-set fires. The plan was announced by J. Ray Pence, Secretary-Treasurer of the International Association of Fire Department Instructors. He is waiting approval of United States officials and sanction of London fire-fighting authorities.

Linking the proposed expedition with the national defense program, Pence said that after six months' experience in the combat area, the American firemen would return and train their colleagues in wartime fire-fighting technique. "Fire-fighters are almost as important in this war as aviators," said Pence.

If his plan is adopted, volunteers for the English trip would be selected throughout the United States.

The story behind this proposal shows to what a great extent fire is a menace to the strength of national defense. A fire started by an incendiary bomb is no more effective in destroying as essential industry than fire caused by plain negligence. Fire is a menace to reckon with whether it follows a prelude of roaring war planes and explosions, or whether it starts from a carelessly thrown cigarette, a neglected heating plant, or the arsonist's torch.

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confectioners' sugar, 2 tabelspoons hot water, 1 teaspoon rum extract. Makes 18 rolls.

JAM BUNS

2 c. bottled milk, or 1 c. evaporated milk and 1 c. water
½ c. melted shortening
¼ c. granulated sugar
½ teaspoon salt
1 cake compressed yeast
¼ c. lukewarm water
1 egg, well beaten
5½ to 6 c. sifted all-purpose flour Jam

Scald milk; add shortening, sugar, and salt; mix well. Then cool to lukewarm (80 to 85° F.) Soften yeast in lukewarm water, and stir into milk mixture. Add well-beaten egg and enough flour to make a thick batter. Mix thoroughly. Brush surface of dough with melted fat or salad oil. Cover with a clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85° F.). When dough is double in bulk, turn in onto a well-floured board, and knead, adding flour as necessary until it can be easily handled. Then break off small piece to form into 2" balls by folding the edges under until the top is smooth. Arrange in a greased pan, 13"x9"x2", with the rolls just touching. Cover with clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (8 to 85° F.) for about 15 min. Then make an indentation by pushing the handle of a wooden spoon held upright halfway down into the center of each roll. Fill each hole with jam, and let rolls rise for about 25 min. longer. Bake in moderately hot oven of 375° F. for 25 to 30 min. Makes about 2 doz. rolls.

FORD-WILSON

Miss Mildred Ford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Ford of Sikeston, became the bride of Witt H. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wilson of south of Sikeston, at 7:30 Saturday night, Oct. 12, in Matthews. The groom's cousin, the Rev. Hershel Yates officiated.

The bride wore a blue afternoon dress with wine accessories. She was attended by a friend, Miss Ruth Buckholz, who wore a wine afternoon dress with black accessories.

Norton Ford, brother of the bride, was best man.

Mrs. Wilson is a graduate of the Jonesboro Training School of Jonesboro, Ark., class of '39.

Mr. Wilson received his education in the Matthews schools.

They will make their home with the bride's parents until spring.

Hot Rolls That Are Different

Even though your baker may have a wide variety of bread and rolls, were sure he won't have these specialties which are picked from among many recipes we've been trying out in our Institute kitchen. You'll find them delicious. What's more, they don't call for overnight raising. The dough grows light and feathery as you go about your other work, and you'll have all the ingredients on your pantry shelves.

ORANGE BREAD

Use Institute-approved measuring cups and spoons. Measure level.

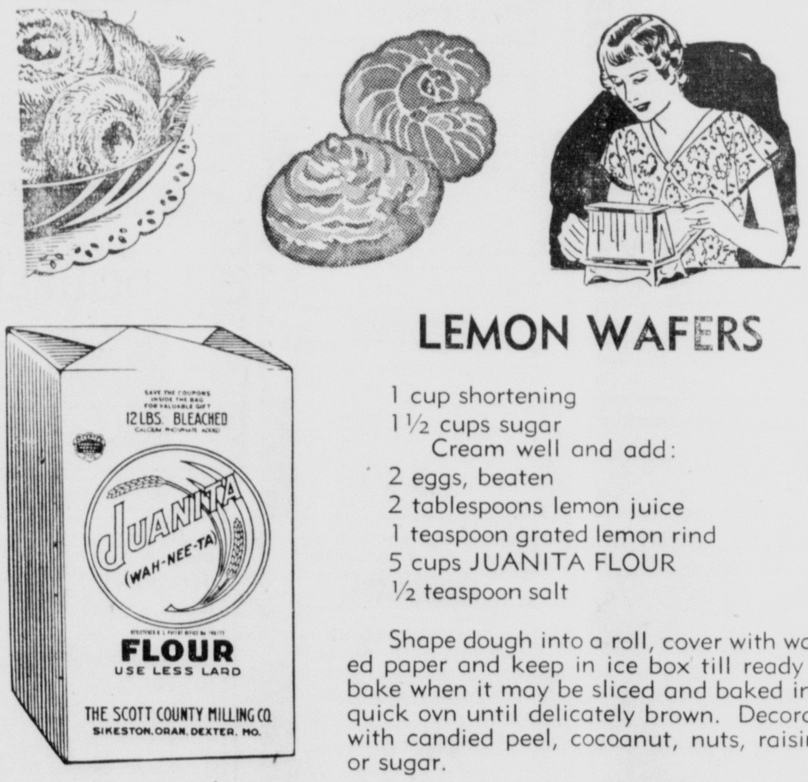
1 large, thick-skinend orange
¼ c. granulated sugar
¼ c. butter or margarine
1¼ teaspoons salt
1 compressed yeast cake
1 egg, beaten
About 3 c. sifted all-purpose flour

Cut orange in quarters, remove white core, and grind, using fine blade of food chopper. There should be 1 c. of pulp and juice. Combine with sugar, butter, and salt, and bring to a boil. Cool until lukeworm. Add crumbled yeast, and beat with a rotary beater until well-blended. Add beaten egg and enough flour (about 2½ c.) to make a stiff dough. Knead on a well-floured board for 5 min., adding flour as needed to keep it from sticking to board. Cover with clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85° F.) until double in bulk. Then knead for 1 min. on a floured board. Shape into a loaf, and put into a greased loaf pan, 10"x5"x3½". Cover with clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85° F.) until a little more than double in bulk. Bake in moderately hot oven of 375° F. for 50 min. Brush with melted butter, and cool on cake rack. Makes 1 loaf.

STATLER RUM ROLLS

1 c. battle milk, or
½ c. evaporated milk and ½ c. water
½ c. granulated sugar
¼ c. shortening
1¼ teaspoons salt
1 compressed yeast cake
1 egg
1½ teaspoon rum extract
3½ c. sifted all-purpose flour
2 tablespoons butter or margarine, melted
¼ c. seeded raisins, cut up

Pour scalded milk over ¼ c. sugar, shortening, and salt. Cool to lukewarm, and crumble yeast into it. Beat with rotary beater until smooth. Add beaten egg and rum extract. Add ½ the flour, and beat with rotary beater until smooth. Add remaining flour, and mix until smooth. Cover with clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85° F.) until double in bulk—about 3 hrs. Roll dough into two strips, each 12" long, ½" thick, and 4" wide. Brush top with melted butter, and sprinkle with ¼ c. sugar and raisins. Roll up, pulling dough out at edges to keep it uniform. Should be 15" long when rolled. Cut rolls in crosswise slices ¾" thick. Place in 3" greased muffin tins; cover with a clean towel, and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85° F.) until double in bulk. Bake in moderate hot oven of 400° F. for 15 to 20 min. As soon as rolls are removed from oven, brush top with icing made of 1 c.



LEMON WAFERS

1 cup shortening
1½ cups sugar
Cream well and add:
2 eggs, beaten
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon grated lemon rind
5 cups JUANITA FLOUR
½ teaspoon salt

Shape dough into a roll, cover with waxed paper and keep in ice box till ready to bake when it may be sliced and baked in a quick ovn until delicately brown. Decorate with candied peel, cocoanut, nuts, raisins, or sugar.

Eating is extra special in every household, so this week we're giving you one if those recipes for extra-delectable cookies that are a little trouble to make, but they're certainly worth it, especially if you use JUANITA FLOUR . . . you're bound to get the results you want if you do.

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News of the Town

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter.—Phone 761W

Large selection of novelty pottery, also practical gifts for Bridge prizes. Woehlecke, The Florist, Phone 501.

Mrs. G. C. Baker returned Saturday from Kirkwood where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Ben Terrell, who, with her small daughter, Mary Jane, accompanied Mrs. Baker to Sikeston for a visit. They returned home Wednesday with Mr. Terrell, who drove down that morning.

Miss Mamie Greene of Rosemead, Calif., arrived last Thursday to visit her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker Sr., and their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Aduddell had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Chappell of Cairo, Ill., and Miss Maxine Winchester of Carbondale, Ill.

A special train will carry the Chillicothe Business College football team, the band, drum corps and some 300 roters to Boonville Friday where the Ducks play the Kemper Yellowjackets.

Mrs. Herbert Kays of East St. Louis, Ill., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simmons.

John F. Food Jr., of Memphis, Tenn., spent Tuesday and that night in Sikeston with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wood.

Mrs. F. F. Converse is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank B. Clarkson in University City and attending meetings of the Grand Chapter of O. E. S. in St. Louis.

Jane Bray went to New Madrid Monday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Gallivan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hoover spent last week end in Memphis, Tenn., on a business trip.

The Birthday Club of the O. E. S. met at the home of Mrs. I. G. Lewis Wednesday for their monthly luncheon. Hostesses for the event were Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. W. T. Malone, Mrs. B. L. McMullin, Mrs. Essie Baker and Mrs. F. E. Mount.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tisdale and daughter, Peggy Jo of East Alton visited Mrs. Tisdale's mother, Mrs. C. E. Bratton last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hedden had as guests last week end, Mr. and Mrs. James Arnett of Dallas, Tex.

Mrs. Dave Cummins and daughter, Miss Mavoureen of Morley were guests of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cummins last week end.

Mrs. Carl C. Wilkinson went to St. Louis Monday to attend the annual meeting of the Grand Chapter of the O. E. S., as delegate from the local Chapter.

Mrs. E. G. Buchanan, Mrs. Earl Malone and Mrs. Essie Baker were in Poplar Bluff Saturday afternoon to see Mrs. Bertha Green, who is in Brandon Hospital there recovering from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

The big annual Homecoming of the Chillicothe Business College Saturday, Oct. 26, with its mile-long parade, C. B. C.-Wentworth football game, banquets and Homecoming Ball will attract hundreds of alumni and visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cummins of Hayti are the parents of a daughter, born October 6 at the home of Mrs. Cummins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Simmons in Sikeston. The child has been named Elizabeth Ann.

Mrs. T. B. Dudley returned to her home in St. Louis Sunday after visiting here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hedden entertained employes of the Sikeston Tractor and Implement Co., and additional guests at dinner in their home Tuesday evening. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Uht and son, G. W., Mr. and Mrs. Bob Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Don Tetley, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Myers, Miss Lillian Belle Taylor, Miss Marie Marshall, Phillip Caverno, Miss Hazel Dorman and Thomas Mathis.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Self will have as their guests this week end Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Self of Hickman, Ky. The men are cousins.

★ FASHION PREVIEW ★

Tweeds that almost speak with a Scottish burr are going to be among the 'musts' for autumn, dedicated to college girls, introduces two charming ideas. (1) Green, red and natural plaid wool, the jacket with rounded lapels, a four-gored skirt. (2) Tan, white and teal blue Glen plaid, a long jacket, a four-gored skirt.

Installed as Supreme Governor of Moose

FRANCIS J. CLOHESSY

Harrisburgh, Pa. — Francis J. Clohessy, of Waverly, New York, was installed as Supreme Governor of the Loyal Order of Moose—the highest elective office in this Fraternity—August 31, at Harrisburg, Pa. The installing officer was United States Senator James J. Davis, Director General of the Moose. Mr. Clohessy's duties began September 1, and will continue for one year. He was unanimously elected to this office by the delegates to the Fifty-second Annual International Convention of the Moose Order at Des Moines, Iowa, July 2.

Francis J. Clohessy, Supreme Governor, Loyal Order of Moose, is an active lawyer and a former newspaperman. He was born in Waverly, N. Y., and received his elementary education there. He studied law and journalism at the University of Notre Dame, receiving in the 1920 the cum laude degree in law. For several years he was employed in the editorial departments of Elmira, N. Y., newspapers, covering the courthouse assignment and working on the desk.

Returning to his home town, he became attorney for the Village of Waverly and held that office for thirteen years. He is now serving his second term as District Attorney of Tioga County. He has served as attorney for the Board of Education and School District. He is a past president of the Tioga County Bar Association.

Mr. Clohessy is a World War veteran, having served nearly two years through enlistment. He is a past commander of the American Legion post in Waverly, past president of the Waverly Board of Trade, and past president of the Waverly Rotary Club. He is a member of the Sayre, Pa., Lodge of Elks, the Waverly Fire Department, and the Waverly Sportsmen Club.

His interest in the Moose was a natural one, since he was a son of the late Frank P. Clohessy, charter member and Past Governor of Waverly Lodge. Like his father, Mr. Clohessy is also a Past Governor of the lodge. He has served as chairman of the membership drive and other committees of the lodge and was in charge of the legal work in connection with the erection of the $150,000 Moose home in Waverly. In the Supreme Lodge he has served on the Judiciary Committee and Law Reversion Committee, as Chief Justice of the Supreme Forum, Supreme Councilman, Supreme Prelate, and Supreme Junior Governor.

Canadian river drivers say that the tiny punkie fly actually can crawl through heavy woolen blankets.

Q—One morning when you are in a hurry to get to work you reach an intersection and the slow poke in front of you can't make up his mind. Will you . . .

(a) Hope that he isn't going to make a right turn, and pass him on the right.

(b) Honk your horn, pull out and pass him on the left.

(c) Wait until you see which way he is going to turn.

Q—In this state a person learning to operate an automobile is not required to have a beginner's license if an experienced driver accompanies him.

.....True. .....False.

ANSWERS:
(c)
False.

Jupiter's slowest and most distant moon requires nearly three years to make the circuit around the parent planet.

Getting More For Your Food Dollar

Should you find it necessary to save on your food bills, don't do it at the expense of family health. Low-cost meals can be well-balanced nutritious meals if you will give a little thought and study to meal planning and preparation. Learn how to replace the higher-cost foods with lower-cost ones that are comparable in food value, so that your meals may not be lacking in vitamins, minerals, etc. Here are a few tips that will help you:

Milk and Cheese. Milk is your best food buy, whatever your budget or the ages of your family. You're getting calcium, phosphorus, vitamin A, and high-quality protein at bargain prices as compared with their cost in other foods. If your family doesn't like to drink milk it's just as nourishing in thrifty dishes, such as soups and chowders; cereals cooked in milk; creamed or scalloped vegetables; arrowroot, rice, custard or bread puddings, etc. Don't skimp on the 1 qt. each child needed daily as a drink or in cooking, or the 1 pt. each adult should have. You may use evaporated milk in your cooking. It gives the same food value as bottled milk, for less money. Also use the less-expensive cheeses as part of your milk quota. For example, 5 oz. American cheese equals 4 c. milk in food value. So, if you use ¼ pound sliced American cheese in toasted cheese sandwiches, you step up the family's daily milk quota about 3¼ c. Serve cheese often!

Meats and Fish. You can practice sound economy in your meat purchases by buying less-tender cuts from animals bearing the packer's or government's quality stamp. Such cuts have the same food value as higher-priced roasts, steaks, etc. In beef you have neck or shank for stews or meat loaf; flank, shortribs or liver to braise; chuck and rump for pot roasts, stews, or chopped beef, corned beef; dried beef; canned corned beef ;etc. In veal and lamb there's shoulder or breast for roasts, stews, braising, or chopped meat; shank or neck for braising, stews, or chopped meat; lambs' liver, etc. In pork you have the shoulder for roasting; spareribs, picnic hams or smoked butts for baking; ham shanks, canned spiced ham; sausages, etc. As for fish, don't forget the lower-cost fresh or salt fish, canned salmon and tuna.

Vegetables. Serve a yellow, a leafy, or a green vegetable every day to provide the vitamins A and C, as wel las valuable minerals. Many vegetables fit into low-cost meals, so compare market prices in shopping. In the yellow group, you have carrots; sweet potatoes; winter squash and yellow turnips. In the leafy group, there are salad greens; green cabbage; spinach; kale, dandelion, mustard, beet and turnip greens; collards; Swiss chard; watercress; parsley; and celery tops. The green group includes broccoli, kohlrabi, peas, peppers, string beans, asparagus, etc. Use canned and quick-frozen vegetables when you can. They're richer in vitamins than many market ones. Serve white or sweet potatoes frequently, cooking them often in their skins to save food values. Serve dried beans or peas, peanut butter, or nuts two or three times weekly.

Eggs. Because eggs are rich sources of vitamin A, iron, and protein, serve one a day per person if you can. If you must cut down because of price, let the children have most of the eggs. We suggest 4 or 5 weekly for each child; 2 or 3 for each adult, and a few extra in cooking. The egg a day need not always be served poached, scrambled, or cooked in the shell. Serve them in puddings, ice creams, egg sauces on vegetables, in sandwiches, milk drinks, etc. Weight for weight, white and brown eggs are equal in flavor and nutritive qualities. So don't pay a premium for one over the other. Eggs deteriorate rapidly at room temperature, so buy yours from a grocer who keeps them in a refrigerator. And store them in your refrigerator at home.

Bread & Cereals. The more you decrease your food allowance, the more important it is to serve cereals once a day, often twice. Be sure some are whole-grain ones. Fortunately, there is a variety of packaged cereals, including those that have been vitamin and mineral reinforced. In addition to being cheap fuel foods, these are important sources of protein, minerals and vitamin B1. To vary cereals, top with raisins, molasses, brown sugar, bananas, prunes, canned peaches, etc. Frequently serve macaroni, rice, spaghetti or cooked with meats, fish or cheese in casserole dishes, etc. Serve bread, hot breads, or crackers at every meal, with at least half of the whole-grain kind.

Q. If I take a girl out for the evening, take her to the show, buy her a box of chocolates, and take her for midnight lunch, should I give her a kiss when I say good night?—Reader.

A. Certainly not. You've done quite enough for her as it is.

Death Claims Mrs. A. B. Killian

Mrs. A. B. Killian died Monday evening after a lingering illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Opal Rodgers, in the east part of the city. She was 48.

She also leaves another daughter, Mrs. Thelma Beatley, Philadelphia, Pa.; a son, Junior Killian of Parma; a sister, Mrs. J. R. Elkins of Sikeston, and two brothers, Joe Blair of Catron and Geo. Blair of Poplar Bluff.

Interment took place Wednesday afternoon at Miner Switch.

LIME SPREADER PLANS AVAILABLE

Plans for building a home-made lime spreader using the rear axle and drive shaft of a Model T Ford or other car, have been worked out by K. B. Huff, extension agricultural engineer, Missouri College of Agriculture. Copies of these plans are free for the asking at the Farm Bureau office at New Madrid.

SODIUM CHLORATE TO CONTROL WEEDS

John Urhahn, farmer living 2¼ miles north of Benton on Highway 61, has a garden infested with bindweed, a weed hard to control. Friday, October 18, at 2:00 p. m., Mr. Urhahn with County Agent Lane, expects to use sodium chlorate poison as one method of weed control. Anyone who cannot identify bindweed, or who does not know the poison can be applied, is invited to attend the meeting.

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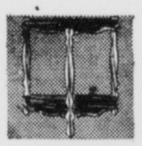
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VOTE
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The P. C. Editor Says:

The editor had the pleasure of attending a banquet along with fifty other 100 per cent Democrats at the hotel in Chaffee Wednesday evening in honor of Hon. Dwight H. Brown, Secretary of State and candidate for re-election. After the banquet Mr. Brown addressed a packed house in the theatre. We didn't remain for the speaking, but accompanied some of the county candidates to the Hooe School House up on the Base Line Road, where both of the large school rooms were filled for the speaking and the fun that followed. David Blanton, candidate for re-election to the office as Prosecuting Attorney, was master of ceremonies and after introducing the candidates following with a splendid address which was well received by those present. Then came the fun. When calls came for votes on the prettiest girl present and candidates were backward in coming forward, in our weak moment we spent a trifle over one dollar in an effort to win an angel food cake for an ingel, but fell short. It was the auctioning off of the pretty boxes containing pies that brought bids from the candidates present, David Blanton acting as auctioneer, and he knocked down a beautiful pie to his Dad who wasn't even a bidder. When the pie boxes were opened as handsome looking lot of pies were displayed as ever come from anyone's kitchen. Then men were nominated for the handsomest man and the same three were nominated for the ugliest man. We are making no remarks about these entrants. About $17 was realized from these auction sales which goes to the Library Fund of the school. We didn't remain for the picture show that followed. We were glad we were present as we enjoyed the entertainment very much.

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E. E. Singleton, district manager in Southeast Missouri of Krogers Stores, owns and operates a fruit and chicken ranch five miles out from Poplar Bluff, in connection with Mrs. Singleton, where he takes his leaves and gets his mind from business worries. This ranch contains 60 acres, most all of it cleared and set to peach and apple trees that will come into bearing in 1941. White Leghorns are used on this ranch as egg machines and some of these hens have run well over the 300 mark for one year. All eggs are trap nested and kept marked and when placed in the incubator are put in separate partition boxes on the eighteenth day in order the heaviest laying strains can be marked and kept track of. The Singletons have incubators of 5000 capacity that will turn out great numbers of these little balls of fluff. Mr. Singleton is very enthusiastic about their ranch and states Mrs. Singleton is likewise enthusiastic. Being an ex-chicken enthusiast we enjoyed this visit with Mr. Singleton Thursday morning very much.

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The lady who has a red headed baby has a right to be peeved when she was asked why she didn't set her baby out on a stump and let the peckerwoods feed it.

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We are in receipt of a letter from T. M. Scott, warden of the Missouri Penitentiary at Jefferson City, inclosing a card admitting us as a witness to the execution of Oscar Ashworth within the walls of the penitentiary at 12:01 a. m., on Friday, October 25, 1940. Thanks, Tom, but we will not be present.

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From the High School comes this one. The Movie Stars and convicts were to be registered at the same time on Wednesday in order to have the stars and stripes together.

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O. G. Butts, brother-in-law of Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr., died in Pittsburg, Pa., Thursday morning and the body will be taken to Washington, D. C., where the burial will take place Saturday morning. He had been in poor health for many months and his passing was not unexpected. The Blanton family in Missouri extend sympathy to the widow, Margaret.

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And why shouldn't the New Deal use the WPA to get votes for Roosevelt? It was the President and the New Deal that organized the WPA and made work for the many workers throughout the United States and any WPA worker who votes against the Democratic ticket should be given his 403 P. D. Q.

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Miss Wilma Randolph of Dexter will spend this week end as the guest of Mrs. Jewell Allen.

140th Moves To Establish Home Defense

Instructions and enlistment contracts for home defense units will be sent out Monday to company commanders of the 140th Infantry in Southeast Missouri, according to Col. Harry E. Dudley, regimental commander.

The reserve military force in the state will replace the National Guard, which will mobilize November 25 for a year's active training in camps.

Company commanders will have charge of recruiting for the home denfense. They will be assisted by the American Legion and other civic clubs of their cities, Col. Dudley said.

Col. Dudley spoke Monday night at the Legion meeting on the home program and invited members of the post to join the local unit to be formed.

Capt. Wade Shankle of Company "K" will begin recruiting for the Sikeston unit Monday.

The Reserve Military Force will be known as the Sixth Missouri Infantry and will be one of five regiments in the state. It will be directed by the governor through the adjutant general.

Strength of the home units, required by the state, will be from 23 to 75. National Guard commanders will try to sign as many recruits as possible over 23 up to the maximum, Col. Dudley said.

The home defense is to act strictly in case of local emergency, such as a riot or flood. Men 21 to 35 yeears in the ranks are still subject to the draft.

Enlistment blanks state members sign for three years unless sooner discharged by proper authority. Applicants are asked to list all prior military service.

Officers must be 21 to 64 years and should have had past military experience in the army, navy, marine corps, National Guard, organized reserve or R. O. T. C. Enlisted men must be 18 to 64.

The House of Representatives in Washington Monday passed a bill and sent it to the White House for the President's signature authorizing the creation of home defense units to replace the National Guard.

FIRST MAN SIGNS FOR HOME DEFENSE

U. T. Rabb, Legionnaire and ex-service man, became the first to sign for the home defense unit here, registering with Col. Dudley Thursday morning at the Highway Dept. office. Mr. Rabb enlisted May 1, 1918, with the 88th Division and served overseas ten months. He is a mechanic at the Highway Dept. garage.

Council Acts to Secure Private Strip on Streets

Condemnation proceedings to secure the rights-of-way for 60.8 feet of property, now privately owned and crossed by three streets, was authorized by the City Council in a special meeting late Monday afternoon.

The strip, part of a "panhandle" that extends along the north line of Wallace Street across Sikes, Moore and Lindley avenues, belongs to the Wm. H. Tanner Estate.

City Attorney Robert Dempster said proceedings would come up in the March term of Circuit Court, so paving projects will omit the privately owned strips.

The council passed an ordinance declaring it necessary to pave Sikes Avenue for two blocks, from Wallace to Wakefield, except for the 60.8 feet.

Paving on Moore now under way will give the street a concrete surface for the full distance from the Missouri Pacific tracks to Wakefield, with the exception of the short strip.

Lindley Avenue runs northward from the northeast corner of Bailey School grounds.

Showing the extent to which sudden death strikes, nearly 66,000 persons died last year within 12 months after having been accepted as fully insurable for life insurance, according to the Institute of Life Insurance.

Plane Averts 'Crises' Of Registration Cards

A registration card "crisis" in Southeast Missouri Wednesday was met on the spur of the moment when the draft headquarters at Jefferson City shot a supply of cards by airplane to Sikeston for county clerks of four counties.

The plane which dropped in at the local airport at 2:30 p. m. carried the last supply of forms remaining at the state office, 5000 registration blanks and 3500 certificate cards, as well as a proportionate quantity of information pamphlets.

CAUSED BY COTTON LABOR

Influx of cotton workers in this part of the state is believed the reason for the number of applicants running well over previous estimates.

Appeals came in Wednesday morning to County Clerk H. C. Watkins, Jr., at Benton from Rootwad, Lusk and Crowder, asking for more registration blanks. From the early morning rush, Sikeston Ward 1 also feared its supply might run out.

Calling Jefferson City, County Clerk Watkins was advised by Major John G. Christy, in charge of the draft headquarters, that a plane was bringing the last available supply of forms to the Sikeston field. Major Christy said New Madrid, Pemiscot and Stoddard counties already had appealed for additional cards.

QUICK DISPATCH

Col. Harry Dudley through the Highway Dept. here arranged for the supply to be divided and taken by automobile to the county seats so they might be distributed to precincts needing them before the evening rush.

Trooper John Tandy took 200 registration and 500 certificate cards to Benton, Col. Dudley 500 registration and 600 certificates to Bloomfield, while Weight Officer Troy Gladish went south with 500 of each for New Madrid and 1000 each for Caruthersville.

When County Clerk Watkins called Jefferson City, he was down to his last 25 registration cards.

Estimates of the registrants in different precincts were based on the population, which was determined by the last election vote, Federal authorities calculated 14 per cent of the population were males 21 to 35 years. The Scott County total was set as 4238.

The county clerk in the initial distribution pro rated an additional 1000 of each type of blanks among the precincts, and kept a further supply at his office in Benton.

At Lusk, where according to the government formula only 26 would register, the clerks found cotton workers from St. Louis, Illinois, Kentucky and Tennessee coming in. A similar situation occurred in many precincts over Southeast Missouri, although no call came from Dunklin County for more cards.

Dwight Brown Speaks At Democratic Rally

Secretary of State Dwight H. Brown gave a new definition to the "metropolitan press"—that of Russia, Germany and Italy—in listing the groups opposed to the re-election of President Roosevelt and the continued performance of the Democratic Party, in an address here Tuesday evening.

Speaking before a jammed house at the Rex Theatre, the state official, himself a candidate for re-election, named other groups he said are opposing the party in power: Republicans opposed to liberalism, "fifth column" organizations in this country, the very wealthy who resent the money spent on New Deal social projects, industrial groups opposed to the party's labor legislation, anti-third termers and groups condemning the present preparedness program, either criticizing it for being inadequate or too elaborate.

Brown asserted the metropolitan press of this country was to be expected to be against any Democratic candidate. Then he pointed out that Russia, Germany and Italy were very much opposed to the re-election of Roosevelt, and the controlled newspapers of the countries had attacked his candidacy. The speaker termed it foreign meddling in the affairs of this country.

Referring to the opposition of the Republicans as a party, the Secretary of State reminded the audience that it was a tenet of the American democracy that a rival party is permitted. He quoted former Postmaster General Jim Farley, ex-head of the Democratic party, who said, "We do not want a one-party government."

The speaker took issue with the "liberalism" of the Republican Party, however, declaring the large amount of legislation affecting the unemployed, infirm, blind, widows and orphans has been passed since the Democrats came into power.

Brown said a large number of people from foreign countries who had sought the advantages of this country were opposed to the re-election of Roosevelt. Those people have different ideologies from the American idea of government and are working to overthrow it. He added, however, that most of the foreign-born residents of the country had become good citizens.

Certain wealthy groups, Brown stated, had resented the far-reaching Social Security, labor laws and farm aid plans. He recalled that the days of age insecurity were not far back, and that thanks to laws brought about by the Democratic Administration workmen did not carry their former fear

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Legion Plans Flag Sale

The Henry Meldrum Post of the American Legion, in order to promote and instill more Americanism locally, has ordered a large selection of flags which will be sold here by Legionnaires, it was announced at the meeting Monday evening at the armory.

Through the sale and publicity, the post hopes to have flags displayed at every business house and home on holidays.

The local post, together with the one at Chaffee, will take charge of the program and furnish speakers for the unveiling of two memorial tablets at Benton commemorating the Scott County men who lost their lives in World War service. It will be held at the memorial fountain in the courthouse yard on Sunday Nov. 10.

It was decided to start a membership drive within the next two weeks with a goal of 150 by Armistice Day.

Committees for the ensuing year were appointed by the new president, Jean Hirschberg.

The next meeting will be at the armory on Monday night, Oct. 28. All ex-service men are invited to attend.

Semo Democrats Rally at Cape

A Southeast Missouri Democratic rally will be held at the Houck Field House, Cape Girardeau, on Tuesday, Oct. 22, headlined by Gov. R. T. "Bob" Jones of Arizona, United States Senator Harry Truman and Lawrence McDaniel, Democratic candidates for governor of Missouri.

A parade at 7 o'clock will precede the meeting, which begins at 7:30 p. m.

Loud Speaker at Grid Game Tonight

For the benefit of the spectators, details of the big Sikeston-Dexter football game here this Thursday evening will be broadcast over a loud-speaker system.

The Mitchell-Sharp Chevrolet Co. and "Humpy" Mattingly Sinclair Service Station is sponsoring the broadcast.

Names and numbers of players taking part in the plays, substitutions and other information will be announced.

Second Class To Begin at Air School

The vanguard of a contingent of 60 new cadets began arriving here this week preparatory to starting the second class of pilot instruction this Saturday at the Missouri Institute of Aeronautics, Inc.

By Thursday afternoon, 57 of the expected class of 60 had arrived here. They were all from states beyond this army corps area. Most came from Indiana, some from Minnesota and one was from Massachusetts.

The second group of enrollees, nearly twice as large as the first class that was begun five weeks ago, has been assigned here by the United States Army Air Corps for primary aviation training.

Every five weeks a new group begins the 10-week course.

Of the original class of 32 that began Sept. 14, all have made their original solo flights, and five of the number have "washed out."

NEED FLYING APTITUDE

Explaining the failure of the five to pass all the tests demanded by the army, A. B. Woodbury, general manager of the school, pointed out some students did not have a natural aptitude for flying. Some, he said, might make the grade if more instruction were given, but the army has only a limited amount of time to spend with each man and cannot delay to accommodate the slower ones.

More of the first class may be eliminated before the 10-week period is up and they are ready for basic training at Randolph Field, Tex.

HANGAR GOING UP

Concrete to support the walls and for the footings has been poured for the new hangar, being built beside the present one. The second hangar also will be steel. Beams for the building began arriving Tuesday.

C. Crooks of the International-Stacy Corp., Columbus, Ohio, firm which supplied the steel, is here for the construction.

To Dedicate Benton School

Dedication of the new brick Catholic School building at Benton will take place with special ceremonies Sunday morning.

Rt. Rev. Msgr. James Murray, superintendent of schools in the archdiocese of St. Louis, will perform the dedication, which will take place at 11 o'clock.

Immediately following the dedication, solemn high mass will be said by Fr. Joseph LeGrand of Nashville, Ill. Fr. LeGrand is a native of the Benton parish.

The four-room brick structure was built to replace the frame building that housed both the church and school, which burned last January.

Church is being held in the basement.

Members of the parish assisted in the construction of the building, especially in carpentery work.

Classes have been held in it since last week.

State Leader Talks To Woman's Group

At the meeting of the Woman's Civic Club in the library Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Morrell DeReign of Caruthersville, state treasurer of the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs was guest speaker. Mrs. Paul Brewer presided at the business session, when the members voted that the club's project for the ensuing year would the furnishing of the nursery at the Sikeston General Hospital. Mrs. W. C. Whittle was appointed chairman of the ways and means committee and Mrs. Swan McDonald, Jr., was asked to head the civics committee.

The next meeting will be held Nov. 5, when Mrs. M. M. Beck will review the book "The Fireside and the Wood" by R. C. Hutchinson.

L. A. W. CLASS

The L. A. W. Clas sof the Christian Church will hold a Rummage Sale Saturday, Oct. 19, in a stand just north of the church building on South New Madrid Street.

County Court Picks Judges For Election

Election judges for the coming general election November 5 were chosen from lists submitted by both the Democratic and Republican parties by the County Court Tuesday afternoon.

Democratic party judges are:

DEMOCRATIC JUDGES

Illmo—G. E. Tucker, Raymond Smith, Clarence Seals.

Fornfelt—Emil Steck, Mrs. Frances Klughart, Mrs. Josephine August.

Ancell—Wm. Welter, Miss Bertha Welter, Mrs. Joe Burger.

Kelso—Fred Burger, John Keusenkothen, E. L. Welter.

Chaffee No. 1—Tillman Blocker, Chas. Allen, R. T. Ahlsted.

Chaffee No. 2—L. D. Lankford, Norbert Essner, Word Ozee.

Oran No. 1—Geo, J. Vogel, H. M. Gateley, Alene Poe.

Oran No. 2—Arnold Stehr, Chas. Baty, Mrs. E. E. Dancey.

Perkins — Ben Elfrank, Ben Cook, Vinton Hartley.

Bleda — Tony Gosche, John Scheeter, Frank LeGrand.

Morley — W. R. McDonough, Mrs. H. F. Emerson, Forrest Watson.

Vanduser — L. P. Woodward, Robert Gober, Henry Utnage.

Blodgett—J. F. Nunnelee, Alma Cope, Lester Graham.

Benton—D. W. Gilmore, A. E. Halter, W. A. English.

New Hamburg—Philip Bucher, Arnold Dirnberger, Frank Steimle.

Diehlstadt — Ollie Kirkpatrick, Terry Bagwell, Mrs. Clarence Cooper.

Lusk—Robert Hesselrode, Chas. Martin, Mrs. Joe Stricker.

Sikeston No. 1—N. E. Fuchs, Jr., R. A. Dempster, O. M. Arthur.

Sikeston No. 2—C. E. Felker, John G. Powell, Dick Hopper.

Sikeston No. 3—C. H. French, Lee Lawrence, Judson Boardman.

Sikeston No. 4—Less Sexton, Mae Martin, R. M. Houchins.

McMullin—W. B. Simpson, Carl Luper, Theodore Hopper.

Rootwad—Anna Jewell Hahn, Ralph Sherrill, Moore Jamison.

Miner—Roland Malcolm, Ben Matthews, Nancy White.

Crowder — Albert Dame, Ray Marshall, Charles Miller.

Commerce—Grady Darby, Jim Young, Mrs. P. B. Held.

REPUBLICAN JUDGES

Republican judges are:

Sikeston, Ward 1—G. M. Greer, Frank Van Horne, Mrs. Eula Bowman.

Sikeston, Ward 2—J. H. Hayden Sr., Hez Ozment, J. H. Kready.

Sikeston, Ward 3—W. O. Scott, Charles W. Rose, Earl J. Malone.

Sikeston, Ward 4—C. C. Reed, Fred Jones, Jr., Mrs. Jewell Allen.

Rootwad — Paul Montgomery, James Hodges, David Allard.

McMullin—Jess Ward, Frank Fadler, John Dumey.

Blodgett—J. W. Moore, Mrs. Goldie Pearman, John Austin.

Lusk—Mrs. Richard Brazell, J. R. Brazell, Robert Perkins.

Vanduser—Oscar Duncan, H. E. Barnes, Val Hamby.

Oran No. 1—Henry Brinker, Albert Brady, Mrs. Tolbert Gillespie.

Miner Switch—Mrs. M. V. Hill, Mrs. Lizzie Matthews, W. F. Woods.

Crowder—Mrs. Sherry, Rance Sherry, Arnie Utley.

Diehlstadt—A. G. House, W. F. Dennis, Roy Colliflower.

Commerce—Mrs. Ida Hawkins, Andrew Alexander, Mrs. Rose Davis.

Morley—Curtis Moore, J. R. Murphy, Mrs. Maude Daugherty.

Oran No. 2—Paul Halter, Joe Lauck, Walter Temme.

Chaffee No. 1—Guy Maxwell, J. L. Hood, Mrs. Christa Grace.

Chaffee No. 2—C. E. Campbell, Carl Fatchett, Lawrence Williams.

Bleda—Frank Pobst, Paul Propst, John Dohogne.

Kelso — Elmer Dannenmueller, Mike Diebold, Ed Hahn.

Fornfelt—C. E. Brewer, A. C. Shipman, R. J. Tomlinson.

New Hamburg—Otto Diebold, John Hamm, John Stike.

Perkins—Walter Irvin, Henry Thomas, F. Bradshaw.

Ancell—W. A. Georger, W. L. Arnold, A. J. Blattel.

Illmo—Elmer Dunnegan, Maurice Craig, Alfred Eifert.

Benton—Kenneth Dye, Joe Buhs, E. R. Tirmenstein.

Residents of the United States, comprising 6 per cent of the world's population, own nearly 65 per cent of the world's life insurance.

Registrants Now Wait for Time and Fate

After registration, what?

Chiefly, for the man who put his name on the dotted line, it will be a matter of sitting tight and waiting for the draft machinery—and fate—to take their course.

The Scott County Draft Board, consisting of County Judge J. D. O'Connor, Sheriff John Hobbs Circuit Clerk Leo Pfefferkorn, now begins function.

The board received the 4048 cards signed in Scott County and will give them serial numbers. The order in which a man is called before the draft board depends upon a drawing in Washington.

OFFICE AT COURTHOUSE

The draft board, meeting Thursday morning, chose Mr. O'Connor chairman and Mr. Pfefferkorn secretary. An office will be set up at the courthouse, Mr. Pfefferkorn said.

The drawing in Washington of numbers corresponding to those in this county, as well as for every other draft area in the United States, will take place sometime next week, between Oct. 21 and 26, the government has announced.

A person may learn his serial number and order number, which will be posted at Benton.

QUESTIONS TO COME

After the registrant received his order number, he will receive an eight-page questionaire from the county board. It must be answered and returned in five days. Advisory boards will help registrants fill out the questionaires. A county board can inform the person where to locate the advisory board.

Deferments will come after the person is called before the board.

Registrants should keep their certificates at all times. If one is lost, another should be secured immediately from the county board.

Even though he has registered, a man may enlist in the army, navy or marine corps. However, he must notify his local board.

Farmer Injured In Collision of Wagon and Truck

A farmer riding on a wagon hauling cotton seed was injured in a sideswiping collision with a truck Thursday morning on Highway 61 just south of the city.

Charles Bunch, 57, was thrown from the wagon to the concrete when a Ford 1½ ton truck hit the wagon, it was related to the State Patrol.

Both vehicles were going south when the truck, driven by W. A. Pratt, 24, of Sikeston, caught the wagon at the right front corner of the truck bed. The wagon, driven by Claude Wright, 49, was making a right turn at the time into a farm entrance, the Patrol reported.

Bunch in the fall suffered a scalp injury and possible skull fracture. He was brought in the Welsh ambulance to the Sikeston General Hospital and treated by Dr. A. D. Martin.

The wagon was demolished. The mules pulling it ran away with the front part of the vehicle and were caught a quarter of a mile away.

The farmers work for R. T. "Dode" Wayman.

Memphis Youths Bound Over on Car Theft Count

Pleading guilty to stealing a Sikeston automobile and driving it to St. Louis, two Memphis youths were bound over to Circuit Court in a hearing Wednesday morning by Justice Brown Jewell.

The boys, Grady Warren Horton and Jack Muriel Kirk, both 17, admitted taking the Plymouth coach of A. C. Sims, parked near the service station at Malone and East streets where the owner works, Saturday afternoon.

The pair were apprehended at St. Louis Saturday night.

They told of trading a tire in the car for gasoline near St. Louis.

Brought from the Benton jail for the hearing, they were returned there afterward.

Scott County Registers 4048 Men

There were 4048 men registered Wednesday in Scott County for the draft, it was announced Thursday morning by County Clerk H. C. Watkins, Jr.

Sikeston had a total of 1596.

While the result ran slightly less than 200 under the original estimate for the whole county, which was 4238 on a basis of population proportion, that of Sikeston ran over 350 above the estimate.

Some of the smaller rural precincts, receiving many itinerant cotton workers, ran ahead of their estimates, causing a temporary shortage of registration cards. This was quickly adjusted.

QUICK REPORTS

By 10:15 p. m. Wednesday, the county clerk had heard from all precincts but Miner Switch, which was reported Thursday morning.

There is a provision that any county with more than 2500 registrants can have an additional draft board, so the present county board is awaiting further instructions from Jefferson City, Mr. Watkins said.

Quite a number of traveling persons and residents of other counties and states registered in Scott County. These will be sent to their respective boards. On the other hand, any Scott County citizen who registered elsewhere will have his card sent to Benton.

PRECINCT RESULTS

Registration by precincts was:

Sikeston: Ward I, 538; Ward II, 353; Ward III, 337; Ward IV, 368.

Commerce 94, Diehlstadt 89, Lusk 66, Blodgett 125, McMullin 122, Rootwad 101, Miner 67, Crowder 64, Kelso 75, Fornfelt 147, Illmo 169, Ancell 49, Chaffee Ward I 268, Chaffee Ward II 123, Benton 189, New Hamburg 54, Morley 153, Vanduser 168, Oran, 237, Bleda 31, Perkins 61.

NEW MADRID LISTS 6299

With a total of 6299 persons registering, New Madrid County ran well over the anticipated 6000 and had further registration to complete Thursday at Portageville and Gideon.

An influx of cotton pickers, causing the totals to exceed estimates, caused all but seven precincts to call for more cards from the office of County Clerk R. L. Jones.

The special allotment flown by plane from Jefferson City eased the condition some, but names of over 70 men at Portageville and 17 at Gideon were taken with the promise they would be furnished cards later.

Registration by precincts was:

Gideon 614; Hartzell 53; Matthews 340; Fairview 147; Cade 29; York 61; Parma 342; Phillips 95; Risco 314; Catron 335; Baderville 134; Henderson Mounds 33, Conran 196; Marston 234.

Point Pleasant 126, Scott School 142, New Madrid 574, Kewanee 183, Fahrenberg 138, Kendall 103, Portageville 768, Bookerton 85, Tallapoosa 111, Barnes Ridge 75, Higgerson 17, Morehouse 330, Canalou 245, Maple Grove 77, Lilbourn 398.

MRS. A. T. BUSH DIES AT BROWNSVILLE, TEX.

Funeral services will be held this Friday afternoon for Mrs. A. T. Bush, who died at Brownsville, Tex., Monday, Oct. 14, of infirmities. She was reared near Bertrand and has many friends in Sikeston, where she frequently visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. A. Young. Surviving are the husband, one son, Ray Bush of Kansas City, and two brothers, Rev. Clarence Burton and Ed Burton, of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Young, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Francis will attend the services.

COMPLIMENTARY TICKET
SIKESTON STANDARD
This Ticket Will Admit
Archie Beasley and friend
—to the—
MALONE THEATRE
Thursday, Oct. 17 to see
"BOOM TOWN"

Britain Aid Boxes Shipped

Ten large packing boxes of clothing for British War refugees were shipped from here Thursday morning to Bundles For Britain, Inc., in New York, by the president of the local organization, Mrs. T. C. McClure.

Other clothing and shoes will be shipped next week, Mrs. McClure said.

She praised the response to the drive and said the quality of the clothing was especially appreciated.

Women who wish to aid by sewing are asked to meet Tuesday at 1 p. m. at the Odd Fellows Hall, bringing a thimble and scissors, she announced.

All yarn ordered for knitting of seamen's garments and aviator's helmets has been distributed among local women and more is ordered, Mrs. McClure stated.

Those missed in the canvass for clothes who can contribute are asked to get in touch with Mrs. B. F. Blanton, Mrs. Arthur Reese, Miss Helen Virginia Keith or Mrs. McClure.

MISS HENRIETTA MOORE'S CONDITION IMPROVED

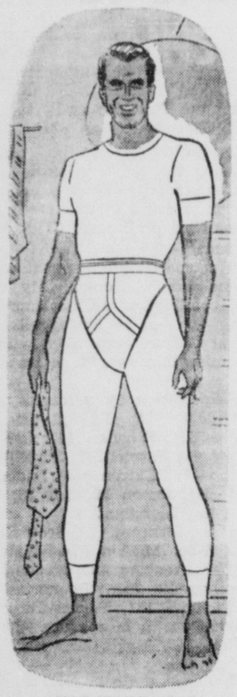
Miss Henrietta Moore, who was injured in the automobile crash Sunday night in which George Bridges was fatally injured, was able to be brought Monday from St. Mary's Hospital, Cairo, to her home with her mother, Mrs. A. J. Moore, 517 Park. Miss Moore, who is under the care of a nurse, is reported improved. She suffered severe sprains and shock.

PENNEY OFFICIAL TO WINDOW DISPLAY SCHOOL

Archie Beasley, assistant manager of the J. C. Penney Co. store, will be in St. Louis from Sunday to Friday at a window display school put on by the Penney system for this district. About 35 assistant managers will learn the latest methods of designing displays in windows and stores, and Mr. Beasley will bring these plans to Sikeston.

Paul Brown, manager of the store, attended a district meeting of Penney managers this Thursday evening at Centralia, Ill., in connection with the window display school.

LET'S LOOK AT
MEN'S LEGS
FOR A CHANGE



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THE PEOPLES STORE
SIKESTON, MO.

Local Man Gets 'Bait' in Mexican Trunk Swindle

A warning to Sikeston residents not to be deceived by the old Mexican trunk swindle was issued Thursday by Postmaster Pleas Malcolm, after a local person received a letter from Mexico City which was the initial step in the hoax.

Claiming the receiver of the letter was recommenced by a "person who spoke highly of you," the writer said the outcome would determine "my future and the future of my darling." Then he wrote:

TELLS OF "HIDDEN CASH"

"I am in prison sentenced for bankruptcy and I want to know if you are willing to help me save the sum of $285,000 which I have in bank bills inside the secret part of a trunk that is deposited in a custom-house in the United States of North America.

"As soon as I send you some undeniable evidence it would be necessary for you to come and pay the expense incurred in connection with my process in order to lift the embargo on my baggage and thus recover a suitcase that contains all the necessary documents, especially a baggage check that we need to take out the trunk that contains the cash and which is deposited as stated in a custom house in the States.

For services rendered the Sikeston man was to receive onthird of the fortune in the trunk.

The writer said he was head of the prison school and therefore had the freedom of writing. He said he was afraid to sign his name, but gave the address of a trustworthy "friend," Sr. V. G. Ramirez in Mexico City, who would receive the reply.

SEEK MANY VICTIMS

Postmaster Malcolm declared it is an old swindle. Thousands of letters are sent out, with the hopes a few persons may "bite."

To avoid legal complications, no proposition is mentioned in the letter, but finally, Mr. Malcolm said, the interested party is asked to come to Mexico. Then he is induced to "bribe" an official as the first step in "releasing" the man from prison. If the intended victim gets wise, he is generally robbed by force.

SON TO BREWERS AT ARLINGTON, VA.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Brewer of Arlington, Va., have announced the birth of a son, Monday, Oct. 14. The boy is the third child but the first son in the family. He weighed 8 pounds 12 ounces.

YOUNG DEMOCRATS TO MEET AT BENTON FRIDAY

Scott County Young Democrats will organize a "First Voters' Club" in a meeting this Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Benton courthouse, it was announced by the president, Charles Bethune. All Young Democratic Club members and new voters are asked to be present.

The Iowa Gazette in a late issue, says the body of Black Hawk, Indian chief, was not "buried but placed on the earth in a sitting position with his cane between his hands." The burial was according to the rites of the Sac Nation and attended by a large number of white people—100 years ago in Commercial Appeal.

A document that purports to be the marriage certificate of Eugene Field was found in St. Joseph among some old papers by the daughter of a late minister. The famous poet was married to Miss Julia Comstock, of St. Joseph, October 16, 1873, according to the document. Field's address was given as St. Louis. Mrs. Elliott Marshall discovered the paper in the drawer of a sewing table. Strangely enough, it was not signed by the minister, the late James Runcie.

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Bank Officials Of District Hold Annual Session

Sixty bank officials of Group 6, Missouri Bankers' Association, gathered here Thursday at the Dunn Hotel for their annual meeting.

With O. J. O'Bryant of Chaffee, persiding, the following program took place in the morning:

Invocation—Rev. John L. Taylor.

Address of welcome—Leroy Leslie, cashier of the Bank of Sikeston.

Response—Mr. O'Bryant.

Address, "Association Affairs"—F. C. Hunt, president of the Missouri Bankers Association and vice president of the First National Bank of St. Louis.

Address, "Bank from the Viewpoint of an Attorney"—Ray Lucas, State Insurance Commissioner.

Following a dinner at noon, Ernest Robert Rosse, humorist and philosopher from Philadelphia, Pa., was scheduled to talk. New officers were to be elected.

Irvin Waller of Malden was secretary the past year.

Counties in the Group 6 district are Bollinger, Butler, Cape Girardeau, Carter, Dunklin, Iron, Madison, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Reynolds, Ripley, Scott, Stoddard and Wayne.

Blue Jays Beat East Prairie, 44-0

Charleston High School swamped East Prairie, 44-0, Wednesday night on the Eagles' field in a non-conference game, Rex Jackson, Buford Sutherland and Jack Carson carrying the ball for most of the yardage and touchdowns.

Democrats, G.O.P. Canvass City

Both the Democratic and Republican parties are canvassing the city to determine the party affiliations of the voters. Persons checking ask the number of persons of voting age at the residence and which party they subscribe to. It is a cusotmary survey prior to a general election.

KITCHEN DAMAGED BY FIRE WEDNESDAY

Fire starting from an oil stove explosion caused $200 or $300 damage to the kitchen and rear porch of the Ralph Ancell residence, 524 Sikes Avenue, at 7 o'clock Wednesday night. Firemen kept the blaze from spreading to other parts of the house.

An alarm was turned in Thursday afternoon from the Sikeston Gin when cotton being ginned caught fire. The blaze was small.

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Sikeston School News

EVENTS OF STUDENT LIFE

ON REGULAR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

As we scan the large list of absentees in high school each day, several problems present themselves for solution. Is our curriculum adjusted to the needs of the students? Are we as teachers failing to do a good job of teaching? Are the students interested in school? Are the parents interested in the welfare of their children? Are the parents willing to cooperate with the school? Why are some students consistently on the absentee lists? Why are some students consistenly on the failure list? What is the attitude of the parents when notified of the child's absence or failure? These are some of the vital questions our teachers are confronted with daily.

We are still old-fashioned enough to believe that punctuality and regularity are important lessons each child must learn, and the responsibility for same rests with the parents. While the schools are being called on constantly to assume more and more responsibility for the welfare of the child, there are definite obligations of the parents that cannot be assumed by anyone else.

Recently, we heard a wag say in a humorous mood that there was just as much authority in the home as there ever was but it had changed hands. Sometimes we wonder if there is not some degree of truth in the statement. Frequently, we hear parents say, "We just can't do anything with our children." What then should the school be expected to do? Unless there is complete cooperation between the home and school, and a willingness to learn on the part of the student, the efforts of our teachers become so much "water on a duck's back." With the large number of absences that we have daily it is unusual for a student to bring in an unexcused absence slip or one which the parents refuse to sign. We realize also that in many cases students have ample reason for being out of school and should be. We are not talking about those cases.

It is interesting to note that the students whose names appear regularly on the absentee list are to a very large extent the ones who make up the failure lists that are sent to parents regularly from the principal's office. Another interesting fact is that the highest ranking students are the ones who study at home practically every school night. Nothing is allowed to interfere with the home study of the students who are consistently on the honor and proficiency rolls.

We believe that going to school is a serious business and is considered so by a great majority of the parents and students. Also, that anytime a student is absent from school there should be a genuine reason and there should be complete cooperation between the home and school.

Traffic Tickets for Parking too Long

Sixteen warnings against parking downtown more than an hour were given to local motorists over the weekend.

Summoned to appear in police court, the drivers were notified a second appearance would mean a fine. Names of those appearing are filed for future reference.

After an initial period of "education", local officers are issuing tickets for over-parkers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reiss will leave this Friday morning for Atlantic City to attend the National Dairy Exposition to be held there Oct. 21 to Oct. 24. They expect to be away about ten days.

Mrs. Abe Davis and her infant daughter, Barbara Ann, were brought home Tuesday from the Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff, where they had been since the child's birth. Mr. Davis drove to Poplar Bluff and accompanied his family to Sikeston.

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REPOSSESSED CARS FOR SALE
1938 Plymouth Sedan, 1937 Ford Coach, with radio, 1932 Chevrolet Coupe. No finance charges, take over payments for balance.
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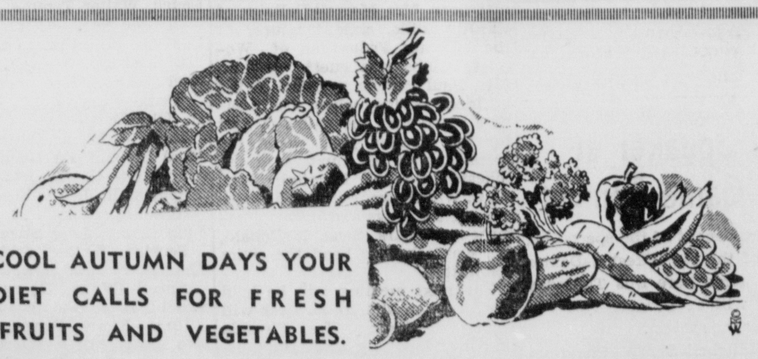

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WANTS

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms. 235 N. Prairie. Phone 691. tf-9

FOR RENT—6-room apartment with garage. 415 Prosperity, Phone 732. tf-9

FOR RENT—Sleeping room in modern home. Prefer couple. 311 Moore Ave. (tf-7)

FOR RENT—2 room unfurnished apartment, 666 Park. Phone 793. (tf-9)

FOR SALE—1938 Ford V-8 Coupe, priced right. Phone 613. (1t-8)

FOR RENT—4 room unfurnished apartment. 241 Kathleen. (tf-5)

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms. 118 Kathleen. (1t-10)

FOR RENT — 5-room furnished house, water and hardwood floors. See T. A. Slack. (tf-10)

FOR SALE—Brand new 3-room house on 2 lots. Priced to sell. Write R. C. M., Box 111, Sikeston, Mo. (2t-9p)

FOR RENT—3 room unfurnished apartment with bath, also garage. 643 Kathleen, Phone 495. (tf-7)

MARGE—Come back home. I have saved enough money by buying our furniture at Survers Furniture Store to get you that new fall coat.—Ed. (tf-5F)

USED COMBINES For Sale—No. 61 International, Oliver Model 6, also some good reconditioned Allis-Chalmers 6ft. model 60's. Ph. 489. Lewis & Matthews Implement Co., Sikeston. (tf-5)

MAN WANTED for 800 family Rawleigh route. Permanent if you are a hustler. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. MOJ-560-123, Freeport, Ill. (1t--10p)

COAL—We can supply your needs by the ton or truck load. Furnace, lump or for the range. Sikeston Fuel Co., on Center rear Odd Fellows Hall. Phone 195. 10

DON'T FORGET to come to the Sikeston Furniture Co. for the low down on furniture of all kinds. We also have some real bargains in land. Farms 40 acres and up at very cheap prices. Sikeston Furniture Co., 517 Prosperity St., Sikeston, Mo. (2t-10)

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If you have ordinary malaria, occasional constipation and associated biliousness why don't you try Nash's C & L Tonic. Thousands turn to Nash's for relief, of the symptoms of these ailments, knowing it contains ingredients used by many doctors the world over to treat malaria.

Go to your dealer, read the directions on the bottle of Nash's C & L Tonic. See how easy it is to take—no laying off from work. Then try a bottle at Mr. Nash's own financial risk. Take only as directed in the package.

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If you are not satisfied with Nash's C & L the very first week, your dealer will return your money. Get a 50c bottle today.

Featured by Whites Drug Store.

FOR SALE—55 x 100 lot, Greer Ave., 1 block west of Shoe Factory, on paved street. Call 331. (tf-10)

FOR SALE—Fine home, corner North Park and College. See Finney, Home Oil Co., Charleston. (tf-72)

FOR SALE—Seed Barley and Seed Wheat. Murray Klein, Phone 458. 5t-10p

WANTED—Middle aged woman for general housework. Mrs. J. E. Polhamus, 833 Park. Phone 1038. (1t-10)

PHONE 931, Martin Service Co. for Refrigeration service, authorized Kelvinator Service. (tf-84)

FOR RENT—Large modern sleeping room. Mrs. C. E. Mitchell, Phone 810. (1t-9)

FOR SALE — One-wheel Sears Trailer, excellent condition. Reasonable. Can be seen at 620 N. Vernon, Phone 1084-W. (2t-9p)

WANTED—Work by experienced dressmaker and tailor. Mrs. Mamie Greer, 215 W. Gladys, Phone 1088. (tf-8)

FOR LEASE—2 stall Service Station and Cafe. Good location, Highway 61 Sikeston. $700 required to finance. Write B., care The Standard. (2t-10p)

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FOR SALE—1939 Ford Pick-up. Sikeston Sales Co. (1t-10p)

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bains of Newport, Ark., and Mrs. Marie Walker of Fornfelt were week end guests of Mrs. S. E. Swanagan.

NOTICE OF TAX CERTIFICATE SALE

The following is a publication of lands and lots in the City of Sikeston, County of Scott, upon which tax certificates are to be offered for sale at the Court House door beginning on Monday, November 4th, 1940, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. and continuing from day to day as indicated by the following publication, by the undersigned according to law. The lands or lots are to be sold under the descriptions as listed, and the amounts as shown due for each year represents the total amount of taxes, interest, and costs including the cost of this sale, and the certificate will be issued covering as much of said lands and lots as is necessary to discharge the total taxes, interest and charges which are due thereon at the time of sale. The lands to be offered are as follows:

SIKES THIRD (3rd) ADDITION

Lots (1) One (2) Two and (3) Three Block (5) Five. Years 1935 $3.57; 1936 $3.37; 1937 $3.17; 1938 $3.19; 1939 $2.98 Total $16.28.

McCOY & TANNER FIFTH (5th) ADDITION

Lot (12) Twelve & north (½) half (13) Thirteen Block (24) Twenty-four. Years 1935 $9.18; 1936 $8.61; 1937 $8.04; 1938 $8.09; 1939 $7.46; Total $41.38.

FRISCO ADDITION

Lots (16) Sixteen & (17) Seventeen Block (10) Ten. Years 1935 $2.58; 1936 $2.45; 1937 $2.32; 1938 $2.33; 1939 $2.19; Total $11.87.

Lots (18) Eighteen & (19) Nineteen Block (10) Ten. Years 1935 $2.58; 1936 $2.45; 1937 $2.32; 1938 $2.33; 1939 $2.19; Total $11.87.

SUNSET ADDITION

Lot (3) Three Block (3) Three. Years 1935 $1.26; 1936 $1.22; 1937 $1.18; 1938 $1.18; 1939; $1.13; Total $5.97.

Lot (14) Fourteen Block (4) Four. Years 1935 $1.59; 1936 $1.52; 1937 $1.48; 1938 $1.47; 1939 $1.40; Total $7.44.

Lots (13) Thirteen & (14) Fourteen Block (6) Six. Years 1935 $1.52; 1937 $1.75; 1938 $1.73; 1939 $1.66; Total $7.06.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ADDITION

Lot (8) Eight Block (12) Twelve. Years 1935 $1.26; 1936 $1.22; 1937 $1.17; 1938 $1.18; 1939 $1.13; Total $5.96.

OUT LOTS

North (102 ft) One hundred & Two ft. off of Lot (1) One out block (9) Nine City of Sikeston, Mo.

I, J. W. Mathis, City Collector of the City of Sikeston, Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct list of lands or lots that will be offered for sale as above set forth.

Dated at Sikeston, Missouri, this 3rd day of October, 1940.

Signed: J. W. MATHIS,
(SEAL) City Collector.

9-8-10

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received in the office of the City Clerk in Sikeston, Missouri, up to 5 o'clock p. m. on Monday the 21st day of October, 1940, for the furnishing all of the material, equipment and labor in connection with the work of paving with asphaltic concrete, together with a lip-type concrete curb and gutter on both sides of said pavement, that portion of the roadway of Kathleen Avenue from the east line of South Scott Street to the west line of South New Madrid Street, according to the plans and specifications on file in my office at the City Hall. Said work to be let as a whole and not sub-divided. Pavement to be constructed is approximately 438 feet in length and approximately 21 feet wide between curbs.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A. C. Barrett, City Clerk.

8-10.

NOTICE RE TELEPHONE LINES ON STATE HIGHWAY

CASE NO. 10-27

WHEREAS, the undersigned has applied to the State Highway Commission of Missouri for permission to erect and maintain a certain telephone line upon and along State Highway No. 61 in Scott County, Missouri, between points more particularly described as follows: Morley Spur, Station 855-47 South and on the West side to Station 921-75, a total distance of approximately 1.25 miles.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at 10:00 A. M. in the office of S. M. Rudder, Ass't Chief Engineer in the City of Jefferson City, County of Cole Missouri, on the 19th day of October, 1940, a hearing will be had upon said application, at which time and place any person who might be interested in the matter of the location of said line and matters incidental thereto, will be given an opportunity to be heard thereon, and that on or prior to said date any such person may file with said Commission objections or suggestions, in writing regarding such matters.

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8-10.

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News of the Town

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter.—Phone 761W

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stone and daughter, Peggy Ann of Buffalo, N. Y., arrived last Friday to visit Mrs. Stone's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mitchell and other relatives in and near Sikeston. Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Stone and their daughter shared honors with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Daniel and daughter of Cairo, Ill., at a weiner roast north of town. Others in the party were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Melford Taylor and children. Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Melford Taylor entertained Mr. and Mrs. Stone, their daughter, Peggy Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mitchell at dinner.

Remember we serve Hickory Wood Pit Barbecue Ribs daily. Nall's Country Club Cafe.

Mrs. J. H. Draughon returned to her home in Memphis, Tenn., Sunday after spending a week here in the home of her son, Harris Draughon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elfrank, Jr., moved to Hayti to live. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elfrank, Sr., of Lutesville were guests of their son and daughter-in-law in Sikeston.

Mrs. Chris Francis, Mrs. A. C. Etzel and Mrs. Herbert Francis were in Cape Girardeau Monday.

Steak Dinners our Specialty. Nall's Country Club Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stevens and children, Martha, Janet and Frank were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller in Cape Girardeau Sunday.

Mrs. B. F. Marshall, Sr., entertained Mrs. F. D. Lair, Mrs. G. W. Reid of Decatur, Ill., and Mrs. Barney Wagner at luncheon at the Marquette Hotel in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Sims, Mr. and Mrs. John Benegonia and Bill Dickerson of Murphysboro, Ill., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stearns Sunday.

October is Donut Month, don't miss Welter's Bake Shop specials on Cake and Glazed Donuts fresh 3 times daily.

Large selection of novelty pottery, also practical gifts for bridge prizes. Woehlecke, The Florist. Phone 501.

Leo Fisher went to St. Louis Thursday and will be accompanied home this Friday by his mother, Mrs. Fisher of Sullivan, Mo., who will visit in his home. Mrs. Leo Fisher and son, Leo III, who have spent the past two weeks in Carthage, Mo., also are expected home this Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Marsh and son, William, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mainord in East Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pinnell, Jr., visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Edgar Rodeck in Johnson City, Ill. last week end.

Don't forget our Crappie Fish Dinners. Nall's Country Club Cafe.

The Jolly Twelve Club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Louis Farris. The next meeting will be held in November with Mrs. W. W. Lankford.

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Mrs. Chas. W. Reid of Decatur, Ill., came Saturday to visit Mrs. F. D. Lair for several weeks.

Mrs. J. E. Dover returned home Monday after visiting relatives in St. Louis, Jefferson City and De-Soto for several weeks.

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Mrs. Clay Mitchell, son, Charles, and nephew, Val Sharp spent Monday in Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. William Corrigan and son are visiting her aunt, Miss Nell Sullivan in St. Louis.

Mrs. Roger Bailey, member of the state committee of the Republican party, Mrs. Eral Malone, committeewoman for Richland Township, and Mrs. W. T. Shanks attended a luncheon and meeting of Republican women at the Marquette Hotel in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

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Mrs. C. E. Felker, Sr., had as luncheon guests Thursday, Mrs. H. E. Dudley, Mrs. Albert Stepp of New Madrid, Mrs. Earl Malone, Mrs. H. G. Sharp and Mrs. Earl Johnson.

Mrs. Paul Brewer and Miss Lucille Stubblefield attended the U. S. Navy Band concert in Kennett Tuesday night.

Mrs. Louis Graber spent Thursday and Friday in St. Louis.

John Watts of Koshkonong and Miss Almeda Watts of Spring Valley near Fredericktown, will spend this week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hollenbeck and daughter, Ann, visited relatives in Eldon and Vienna last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Taylor of Shelbyville, Mo., are visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dan E. Taylor.

October is Donut Month, don't miss Welter's Bake Shop specials on Cake and Glazed Donuts fresh 3 times daily.

Mrs. Georgia Donnell, daughters, Misses Betty Belle and Mary Emma, and son, Bill, will spend this week end in Columbia, Mo., with Miss Peggy Donnell, a student at the university there. Mrs. Donnell and her son will go from there to Mt. Ayr, Ia., to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Renner and their two children.

Murray Klein and Loomis Mayfield left this Friday morning to spend the week end with their sons, Jean Klein and Loomis Mayfield, Jr., who are students at the university there. They will be guests of their sons at events given by Phi Delta Pheta fraternity in honor of fathers of the members. Sayers Tanner will join them there Saturday and be the guest of his son, Charles, a member of the fraternity.

Steak Dinners our Specialty. Nall's Country Club Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Tatum spent last week end in Memphis, Tenn., as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Higgenbotham.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Taylor and children and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Taylor of Shelbyville, Mo., will be guests of Mrs. Dora Eugas in Jackson Sunday.

Don Renner went to Mt. Ayr, Ia., Wednesday to spend several days the guest of his brother, W. P. Renner and family.

Carl Roeder of Indianola, Ia., was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Whittle Tuesday night.

Miss Elizabeth Schulte of Farmington will spend this week end as the guest of Mrs. Paul Brewer.

A pot-luck supper given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Fowler prior to the football game Friday evening was participated in by the following couples, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Knupp, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Thorgmorton, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Whittle, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mattingly and Dr. and Mrs. Edgar Belden.

Merritt Beck, Jr., will spend this week end in Centralia, Mo., as the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. E. Ausmus and her family. He will be accompanied home by another sister, Mrs. Robert Mow, Jr., and son, Bobby, who visited there the past week.

Woman Killed by Car Crossing Road

Mrs. Opal Richardson, 20, of Ridgely, Tenn., was killed last Tuesday when she was struck by an automobile as she stepped out from behind a truck parked on a road south of East Prairie. She and her husband, Ancell Richardson, had just finished picking cotton for the day.

The car was driven by Frank Hutchinson of East Prairie. Mrs. Richardson had a 15-month-old son.

The difference between any two-digit number and the number formed by reversing the digits always is divisible by nine.

Registration Sidelights

Everybody seemed to take the registration in a good-natured way. There was plenty of banter at the polls about who would be next to shoulder a musket. A few seemed a trifle uncertain about the whole procedure, and there were reports, none confirmed, that one or two uninformed fellows thought they were joining the army. Not yet.

The registration scene here Wednesday morning ran pretty much like the voting on an election day. A large number of eligibles appeared at the four polling places between 7 and 8 a. m., then the number tapered off to a steady flow, keeping practically all of the clerks busy but not pressing them.

Many business firms permitted their employes to register during the regular work hours, having a few of them at a time go to the polls.

It was surprising to some registrants when they encountered friends at the poling places who were thought to be over 35 years, but who were younger.

The distinction of being the first to register in the city went to Assistant Chief of Police Harold Wallace in Ward 1, Frank England in Ward 2, Jack Waggoner in Ward 4, while in Ward 3 the first-hour crowd starting at seven o'clock caused such a rush the first registrant was not recalled.

A clerk enrolling a negro came to the question if the registrant had any obvious physical characteristics. "Yas suh," said the man. "Dis heah scar on my arm and two kids."

The process at the local polls was unusually efficient. Advance reports indicated the procedure would be a long-drawn-out affair, estimating 30 to 35 minutes per person. Long queues of waiting applicants were visualized. However, once the clerks got into the swing, five minutes was ample in many cases to fill out both the registration card and certificate.

The young women of Sikeston formed a large part of the clerical staffs. Due to these volunteer workers, the number of clerks was greater than it would have been if only election judges and clerks were available.

Rites Thursday For Geo. Bridges

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Charleston for George Bridges, Mississippi County prosecuting attorney and Democratic leader who was killed Sunday night in an automobile crash near Bertrand.

Rev. Broderson, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. A. B. Cooper, were in charge.

Interment with the Masonic rites took place in the I. O. O. F. Cemetery there.

Paulbearers were Conly Purcell and Franklin Moore, of Sikeston, Oliver Goodin, Russell Goodin, Woodrow Simmons, Lon Moore, Richard Berry and Geo. Marable, of Charleston.

Mrs. Barney Wagner was hostess at a Rook Party in her home Thursday night.

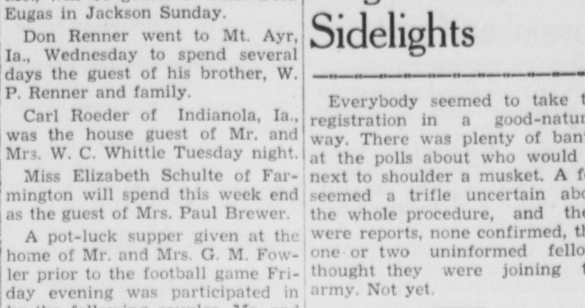
Daniel Malone and Judson Boardman, Jr., attended the concert given by the U. S. Navy Band in Kennett Tuesday night.

Receives Pass To Execution

A pass was received Wednesday by C. L. Blanton, Sr., editor of The Standard, to be present at the execution of Oscar Ashworth, convict of St. Joseph, at the Jefferson City penitentiary at 12:01 a. m. Friday, Oct. 25. The pass was issued by Warden Tom Scott, who is from Scott County. However, Mr. Blanton does not intend to attend.

Ashworth was convicted of criminally attacking a young girl and will be executed in the state's gas chamber.

Mrs. Caleb Smith went to St. Louis Wednesday for a two-weeks visit with her daughters, Mrs Harry L. Sparks and Miss Clark Smith.



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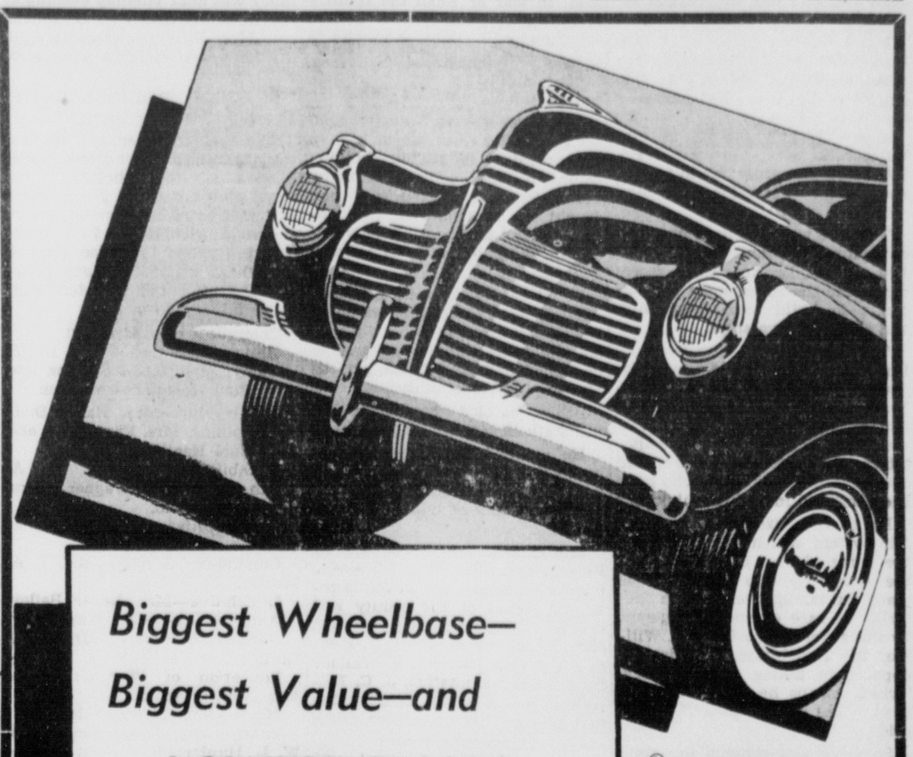

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of unemployment, and that the blind, aged and others with dependents were not haunted by the possibility of losing the person who supported them and becoming destitute. The day of "rugged individualism" is over, he declared.

Many wealthy persons in the United States had shown a fine example of stewardship with their employes, he said. But many of the upper class are against the "made-work" program of the Democrats, who chose the WPA, PWA and like programs in preference to the "dole" for the unemployed.

To those who complain the present preparedness program is not fast enough, Brown cited a recent day when the government let contracts to build seven battleships and 129 lesser warships.

"The thing to do is to write an insurance policy against war for you women—the wives, sweethearts, daughters, mothers and friends of those who would go to war," he declared. "Apostate dictators do not attack prepared countries, but only those who have been engaged in wishful thinking."

He characterized the draft a fair system which gave everyone the same chance of getting into the army. He also approved the plans for taking over certain factories, in case of war emergency, by the government. Wendell Willkie, the Republican candidate is opposed to taking the factory, "which means he favors drafting the boy but not the dollar," Brown said.

Some persons contend the present defense program is not necessary, he said. The Atlantic Ocean is not three thousand miles wide now but only a matter of flying hours, he said. He related how Vera Cruz, Mexico, is only 2½ flying hours for bombing plans to St. Louis. Mentioning the vast resources of this country, he declared the resources in themselves were not enough for defense, pointing out how mighty China was being subjected by tiny but thoroughly prepared Japan.

Brown turned back to George Washington to discuss the third term issue. The First President was a member of the Constitutional Convention, and in a letter to General LaFayette he mentioned his opposition to a move to limit the terms of a president, Brown said. In war or when the country is facing war, the speaker quoted Washington, it might be unwise to change presidents.

"It is not an issue of precedents, but presidents," Brown said.

The Secretary of State touched on Willkie by referring to him as the president of a big holding company that controlled many vast electrical enterprises, had fought the government's TVA enterprise and had boasted he wanted to make public utilities privately owned.

The New Deal's method of stabilizing farm prices was called a boon to the farmer and an assurance that they would continue to be adjusted during future periods of economic uncertainty.

Brown extoled candidates on the state ticket.

He recalled that he was born in Scott County, was now a resident of Poplar Bluff and was a fellow-resident of Southeast Missouri.

The speaker was introduced by Prosecutor David Blanton, who mentioned candidates on the Democratic ticket of the county and district, Lynn Ancell for assessor, John Hobbs for sheriff, T. F. Henry for county judge, J. S. Wallace for state representative, J. C. McDowell for Circuit Court judge and Walter Hughes for constable.

Conservation Agents made 97 arrests for violations of the Missouri Wildlife and Forestry Code during the month of August. The arrests were classified as follows: Improper license or none at all, 38; disregard of closed season, 5; disregard of bag, creel or length limits, 14; improper methods of taking fish and game, 32; serving, storing or selling fish and game, 1; miscellaneous, 7.

Auxiliary Committee Heads Named

The first meeting of the new year of the American Legion Auxiliary was held Tuesday evening at the Rock Inn. Mrs. C. L. Malone and Mrs. Kathryn Johnson were the hostesses. A large attendance was present.

Mrs. H. D. Bashore announced her committees for this year.

The regular order of business was conducted by the new president, and a social hour was enjoyed at the close of the meeting.

It was voted to start the future meetings promptly at 7:30. Members are asked to be on time so that there will not be any interruptions after the president calls the Auxiliary to order.

Committee chairmen are:

Junior Activities—Mrs. L. J. Langley, Mrs. S. L. Shilling and Mrs. Burl Heath, co-chairmen.

Membership—Mrs. Harry Dudley; captains, Mrs. Frank Dye and Mrs. Burl Heath.

Rehabilitation — Mrs. W. A. Smith, Mrs. Roy Wagner, Mrs. Loomis Mayfield.

Child Welfare — Mrs. Tanner Dye.

Community Service—Mrs. T. A. Martin.

Legislative—Mrs. Roger Bailey.

Americanism—Mrs. Wm. Foley.

National Defense — Mrs. Alva Garner.

Education of War Orphans—Mrs. Paul Slinkard.

Music—Mrs. Kathryn Johnson.

Poppy—Mrs. James Kevil, Mrs. W. L. Hunters, Mrs. Jean Hirschberg, Mrs. Robley Lennox.

Finance—Mrs. Ben Welter and Mrs. C. C. Cummins.

Flowers, gifts, hospital — Mrs. W. P. Wilkerson.

Sympathy—Mrs. W. A. Anthony.

Red Cross Reporter—Mrs. Lyle Malone.

Publicity—Standard, Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr.; Herald, Mrs. Tanner Dye.

Entertainment—Mrs. Ben Matthews, Mrs. Earl Malone, Mrs. Frank Dye.

Parliamentarian — Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr.

National News—Mrs. R. L. Proffer.

Radio—Mrs. W. O. Carroll.

Employment—Mrs. Roy Wagner.

Trophies and Awards—Mrs. G. M. Harrison.

Calling Committee — Mrs. Geo. Lufcy, Mrs. Jas. L. Veneable.

Constitution and By-laws—Mrs. B. B. Tatum, Mrs. W. P. Wilkerson, Mrs. M. E. Montgomery.

Hostess Reporter—Mrs. W. C. Holly.

Legionette Reporter — Mrs. Kathryn Johnson.

Hospitality—Mrs. J. W. Foley, Mrs. Harry Dudley, Mrs. W. O. Carroll.

YOUTH ITNO CUSTODY FOR ARKANSAS OFFICERS

Otis Cravens, 21, was taken into custody on the streets here Wednesday by the State Patrol and City Police at the request of Sheriff Dan McCloud of Piggot, Ark., who said a charge of grand larceny had been filed there against Cravens. Cravens was placed in the city jail pending arrival of Arkansas officers.

Redman, 19, enlisted at the St. Petersburg station Sept. 15, 1939. A native of Decatur, Ill., he came to St. Petersburg 14 years ago.

DIEHLSTADT NEWS

Mrs. Brian Lane has been confined to her bed for the past week with an attack of asthma.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans entertained relatives from Bloomfield Sunday.

The mother of Mrs. Linsay Maynard is visiting her from Lllinois this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bowden, their son, Warren, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kizer of East Prairie visited at the J. D. Gage home Sunday. They formerly lived here.

Rev. Smith of Cape Girardeau preached two fine sermons Sunday at the Baptist Church. There were 78 in Sunday school.

The Misses Nellie and Mary Vanita Morgan and brother, Warren, visited Miss Lois Gage Sunday and they all drove to Sikeston, where they enjoyed themselves for a while at the skating rink.

Our school is getting along nicely now, since the bus drivers strike. Each bus has a new driver, and the lunch room that was added to help finance the senior trip in the spring, is certainly doing lots of business.

Mrs. L. Maynard and children visited her sister of near Anniston, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hornback entertained a number of friends and relatives Sunday, the occasion being their son's birth anniversary.

Mrs. Joe Bush, who has been quite sick, is now improving.

Miss Florence Kirkpatrick, twin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kirkpatrick, and Tom Farrell were married in Charleston Sunday.

Tom Maynard moved from near here, Tuesday, to a place near Boardman.

Everybody around here has been very busy trying to get their cotton picked. But had to stay out one-half day Tuesday on account of the rain we had Monday night. Most everyone's cotton is late around here, due to the late cold spring we had.

Rev. Taylor to Pastorate Again

Rev. John L. Taylor was returned to the Sikeston Methodist Church in the annual conference which closed Monday at Jefferson City.

Other appointments for the Cape Girardeau district included: Chaffee, J. B. Jordan; Charleston, J. C. Montgomery; Commerce, L. J. Collins; Fornfelt, M. A. Massey; Illmo, Fred Armstrong; Kewanee Circuit, Nelson Morgan; Lilbourn, H. L. Wagner; Matthews Circuit, R. P. Basler; Morehouse, Marvin T. Haw; Morley-Vanduser, H. M. Andrews; New Madrid, R. A. Brooks; Oran, George Hasler.

Jurors, Alternates Chosen for November Court

Regular jurors drawn in County Court at Benton and certified for the November ferm of Circuit Court are:

Richland Township — Vance Montgomery, Harrison Tanner, Thomas Holderby, Ed Kendall, Leslie Rister, C. C. Scott and Edward Swan.

Kelso Township—Otto Weidefield, Paul Montgomery, Ralph Stevens, Louis Robert, Fred Bisplinghoff, W. H. Castleman and Henry Hahn.

Sylvania Township — Herman hogne, W. W. Hooker and Arnold Stehr.

Moreland Township — Herman Kirnberger and W. C. Cannon.

Sandywoods Township—George Pearman.

Commerce Township—William Scherer.

Morley Township—Whit Moody and Jim Mack Emerson.

Tywappity Township — L. D. Rhodes.

Alternates for the same term are:

Richland Township—Paul Brewer, R. T. Hopper, Cyrus Marshall, P. A. McDougal, Vernon Kelley, Frank Fadler and Ernest Hedden.

Kelso Township—Charles Scott, William Proffer, J. E. Dunnegan, Joe Essner, L. W. Felden, Fred Eifert and Joe Schaefer.

Sylvania Township—Leon Stone, Joe Hahn and Otto Perdue.

Moreland Township — William LeGrand and Joe Pfefferkorn.

Sandywoods Township—J. F. Nunnelee.

Commerce Township — C. M. Beardslee.

Morley Township—Lee Cannon and Elmer Irvin.

Tywappity Township — W. E. Brazell.

Scouts Conduct Court of Honor

In the Boy Scout Court of Honor last week at the Library last week, the following program took place:

Assembly, bugler of Troop 42; word of welcome, Tharon Stallings; pledge of allegiance. led by Charles Yanson; song, "America", led by Wilbur Ensor; institution of Cub Pack 41, Field Executive Harold Nootz; presentation of Red Cross life-saving awards, Wilbur Ensor; Boy Scout awards, Mr. Stallings in charge; tenderfoot investiture ceremony for Troop 42; taps, bugler of Troop 42.

Awards were made as follows: Life badges, J. E. Butler and C. D. Butler, presented by C. H. Butler; star badges, J. W. Little, presented by Fred Cooley, and Jackie Foster, presented by Pete Foster; first class, John R. Ensor, presented by Robert Struwe, scoutmaster of Troop 42; junior Red Cross life-saving, John R. Ensor, J. W. Little and Leonard Kindred; senior Red Cross life-saving, Norman Jonas, J. E. Butler and C. D. Butler; tenderfoot Scouts, Billy Matthews, Argel Kellett, Jimmy Sexton and Harry Hambrick.

Sikeston General Hospital

A son weighing nine pounds was born at 4:30 o'clock Thursday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Woods. The child is the first boy born in the hospital. Two girls already have been born there.

Joseph Matthews, who has been recuperating from a cold, was dismissed Thursday morning.

Mrs. Everett Helms and infant daughter, Beverly Kay, of the Big Opening community, were discharged Tuesday.

Mrs. Pauline Rankin was brought to the hospital Tuesday in the Albritton ambulance for treatment.

Mrs. Pearl McRoy of Matthews Rt. 1 was admitted Wednesday for a minor operation.

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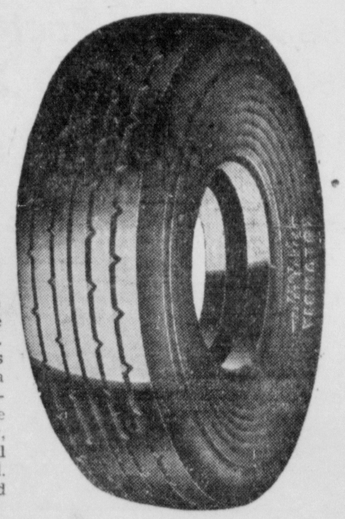

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